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Eastern promise David Howell, MP, on Hongkong's future under Chinese rule Riding to the top Jenny MacArthur previews the Burghley Horse Trials Story time Reviews of fiction by Muriel Spark, Michael Moorcock

Portfolio

and others

The Times Portfolio con the limes Fortube compe-tition prize was shared between two winners yesterday. Mr Antony Stoddard of Kew, London, and Mr Philip Dhillon of Finchley, London, each received £1,000.

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Agreement close in Israel talks

Unexpected progress in the Labour-Likud negotiations, which had appeared stalled makes it likely that a government of national unity may be formed soon in Israel. Mr Moshe Shahal, the Labour whip, said: "All controversial matters have been solved" and the stage has been set for a resumption of talks between Mr Peres and Mr Shamir.

Farmers try to beat milk quotas

More than 20,000 dairy farmers, nearly half the total number in England and Wales, have applied for treatment as special cases under the EEC milk quora scheme introduced earlier this year.



Reuters plea

Reuters news agency has appealed for help in finding Jonathan Wright, a correspondent missing in Lebanon for a week Walf of silence, page 5

11 patients die

Eleven patients have died at the Stanley Royd psychiatric hospital at Wakefield after a food poisoning epidemic which began 10 days ago.

Cauthen talks

Steve Cauthen, poised to become the first American to win the English Jockeys' title since Danny Maher in 1913. gives a rare interview Page 20

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Acrimony as coal peace process verges on collapse

● Talks planned tomorrow between coal ● Mr Neil Kinnock called at the TUC board and miners' leaders were cancelled conference, for support for striking miners yesterday and the peace process neared but condemned the "tiny, tiny few" collapse as both sides dug deeper into responsible for picket line violence. entrenched positions.

● The Prime Minister, rejecting Labour's request for a recall of Parliamment, said against the dollar before recovering the dispute could be quickly settled if the NUM accepted closure of uneconomic pits. Sterling fell to a record low of \$1,2905 against the dollar before recovering slightly. The failure of a pit peace initiative was held partly to blame Page 15

conference, for support for striking miners

From Paul Routledge, Labour Editor, Brighton

strike faltered last night and looked certain to collapse as both sides dug deeper into their entrenched bargaining pos-

Talks due to take place tomorrow were cancelled yes-terday after the National Coal Board made clear that it was not willing to reopen nego-tiztions unless the National Union of Mineworkers accepted that closure of "uneconomic"

pits was on the agenda.

Mr Ian MacGregor, chairman
of the coal board, said last night: "I am ready at any time to meet people to discuss constructive views to settle the dispute. If Mr Scargill has something constructive to say, I will be ready to see him on

The swift response of Mr Arther Scargill, president of the union was: "I think Mr MacGregor needs a long rest." The union's general secretary Mr Peter Heathfield, added: "They are playing ducks and drakes with us."

Mr MacGregor went; further in a BBC interview when told that the miners' president was

accusing the coal board of meani scuppering the talks. That exist would be normal for Mr The Scargill, he said He lies position through his teeth.

somic pits.

mons had already debated the industrial situation, on July 31.

Hardliners

lose after

vote error

By David Felton

Labour Correspondent

The labour movement pulled

back last night from adopting a hardline policy of opposition to the Government's employment

wrangle.

A decision to back a left-wing

move to commit the TUC to.

organize support for any union facing legal action under the

laws was reversed when the

vote was retaken after com-plaints from one big delegation

that it had voted the wrong way.

the National and Local Govern-

ment Officers' Association, which has 780,000 votes, was to

support a motion encouraging

of voting for an amendment which made clear that TUC

isunderstood, the voting ar-

be automatic.

The effect of the mistake by

During that debate", she

The peace process in the pit six-month-old dispute came at which allowed both the miners the end of a long day of charges and counter-charges of dup-licity, and the on-off talks saga

degenerated into farce.
The break in the seven-weekold negotiating deadlock, arranged over the weekend by the Fleet Street publisher, Mr Fleet Street publisher, Mr Robert Maxwell, failed even before it got off the ground. The discussions were first due to take place at a Gatwick hotel tonight, but were post-

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poned until tomorrow and then put off indefinitely, after a series telephone conversations between top-level coal board officials and the union, whose leaders are attending the Trades

Union Congress in Brighton.
In a fresh outbreak of personal hostility between the two men. Mr Scargill accused Mr MacGregor of discussing the likely prospects of peace talks several hours after his industrial relations director, Mr Ned Smith, had already told the union that the conditions for meaningful negotiations did not

and the coal board to believe that the other was ready to shift from its hard-line bargaining

But despite contacts between the third-party intermediaries and the Secretary for State for Energy, Mr Peter Walker, it became clear that nothing had changed.

The miners are still insisting on withdrawal of the March colliery closure programme and an agreement that all existing mines be kept open, while the board is adamant that lossmaking pits must close when their "beneficial" reserves are exhausted.

Mr Scargill told an impromptu press conference in the lobby of the congress centre: "When MacGregor appeared on television, the decision not to talk had already been indicated to our general secretary, though i did not hear of it until he was able to contact me."

He claimed that political pressure from the Government had been brought to bear to ensure that the latest peace moves did not succeed, and a number of top-level officials of the NUM are now privately convinced that there can be no ence in six weeks' time.

The uncertainty about the settlement of the dispute before the Conservative Party conferposition of the two sides

By Anthony Bevins, Political Correspondent

Recall of Parliament ruled out

The Prime Minister yester— has the National Coal Board negotiate the central issue of the justified that nothing had offer to the miners. the dispute, the closure of the dispute. The ballot of members of the NUM shirth you you returned and April 12 has not occurred.

accept longstanding principles and procedures for the closure some union members against their colleagues continue in an effort to prevent them from Mrs Margaret Thatcher, working: nevertheless, those who wish to go to their place of work are able, thanks to the rejecting Labour's request for a recall of Parliament, told Mr Neil Kinnock that the Compolice, to do so."

Earlier, Mr Peter Walker, Secretary of State for Energy, said that it was a "total lie" for Mr Arthur Scargill to say that peace talks had been called off by the coal board.

In a considered denunciation

said. "I pointed out that over many years pits which are not totally exhausted have been closed when it is no longer economic to mine them: the on BRC radio Mr Walker said that Mr sscargill's statement Labour Government not only acted on this principle but also embodied it in legislation. "Since the debate, the point was an invention, a dream, a work of fiction, an incredible device designed to cover up the fact that the NUM president at issue has not changed. Nor

the dispute, the closure of uneconomic pits.

Mr Walker said on the

World at One programme:

"Over this six months of dispute I have had to listen to and read many words of total fiction from Mr Scargill. But

none of those works of fiction has surpassed what he has come out with this morning. "It came as a total surprise to the coal board and to the government when Mr Scargill announced that the talks had een called off."

Meanwhile, Mr Stanley Orme, Lanbour energy spokes-man, has been making behindthe scenes efforts to pave the way for new talks. He said yesterday: "It is very, very difficult. I have been in touch with both sides and I have put some proposals, but all that is confidential."

'Tiny few' attacked for picket violence

Mr Neil Kinnock, the Labour leader, yesterday used his first full-dress appearance before the trade union movement, to support the striking miners, but he condemned the tiny, tiny few responsible for violence on the picket lines.

Addressing a TUC conference largely overshadowed by the pit strike, he told union delegates that a Labour government would never have allowed the country to get into such a state of decay and turmoil, and he reiterated the Shadow Cabinet's demand for a recall of Parliament to discuss the industrial crisis.

Mr Kinnock argued that the basic cause of the dispute in the unions to defy the law instead mining industry is unemploy-"In every coalfield in Britain, male unemployment rates are in excess of 15 per backing would not necessarily cent, and in some areas as high Nalgo said that it had as 25 or 30 per cent.

"For the people of those Continued on back page, col 4 communities, pit closures



'Unemployment to blame'

would leave them with absolutely nowhere to go. They have reached sticking point, that point where deference turns into resistance. That is why in the coalfields men and women have decided to turn and resist. For them, there is no refuge

in redundancy pay when there are no jobs to go to. There are Continued on back page, col 5

TUC council moves to the left

From David Felton, Labour Correspondent, Brighton

The next general secretary of the TUC, Mr Norman Willis, will start work at the end of this week with a general council on which the influence of the Left has increased.

Changes in the composition of the ruling body of the Labour movement flowing from elec-tions and changes in the seats reserved for unions with more then 100,000 members mean that the Left can probably rely

on three extra votes.

A calculation of the political split of the new general council gives the Right a crude 26-24. majority compared with its present majority which is roughly 31-20. However, within those totals there could be fluctuations depending on the issues under discussion.

In elections in the section for . smaller unions, two of the Left's most vociferous supporters, Mr Ken Cameron of the firemen's union and Mr. Alan Sapper of the cine technicians, lost their seats as did Mr Bob Garland, a right-winger, of the foundary section of the Engineering Union.

Their seats went to three right-wingers, Mr Bill McCall of the professional civil servants, Mr David Lambert, of the hosiery workers union and Mr Bob Stevenson, the leader of the furniture workers. Mr Cameron said after the election results that the new

general council did not reflect the broad spread of membership: "It amazes me that we can have decisions like yesterday's miners' vote and people like Bill Sirs and John Lyons being boosd by a majority of delegates and then being put back into the general council."

The Left's gains come mainly from the mandates given to the town hall union Valgo's four representatives by their left-wing annual conference earlier this year and the replacement of right-wing Mr Alistair Graham of the Civil Service union CPSA by a communist Mr Par Alderson. communist, Mr Ray Alderson.

Mr Willis, the current TUC deputy-general secretary, will take over from Mr Murray when congress ends on Friday. He defeated his rival, Mr David Lea, by 7,362,000 votes. to 2,678,000.



Crew unhurt after air show crash

The pilot, co-pilot, and third crew member of a de Havilland Buffalo transport aircraft escaped with only minor injuries yesterday when the plane crashed in a sheet of flame on the main runway

during the Farnborough air display.

A de Havilland company spokesman said that Captain Bill Loverseed, Mr Brad Fowler, the co-pilot, and Mr Eric Greyn, were "shaken" and had been taken to a nearby hospital for checks.

He said Captain Loverseed, a former

Red Arrows squadron leader, had had vast experience with the twin-engine Buffalo at many international air shows, including Farnborough.

Weather conditions at the time of the crash were good, he said, but there were

some wind gusts reported in the area. The airplane, which can carry a payload

of 10 tons, crashed when ending its flying display with a tight, steep turn on to the runway to demonstrate its prowess on difficult and inaccessible airfields. However, at the last second, the Buffalo appeared to hit the tarmac heavily,

bursting into flames and coming to a halt within about 200 yards. The Society of British Aerospace Companies said that a board of inquiry

would be set up immediately and appealed to onlookers who bad taken photographs to hand in as evidence.

Thousands of trade visitors watched the short take-off and landing aircraft disintegrate within yards of the spectators' safety fence. Pieces of debris from the aircraft are believed to have been catapulted into the static air display area but no injuries were reported.

Reagan pledge on arms accord

From Nicholas Ashford Salt Lake City

President Reagan yesterday pledged his determination to work towards balanced and verifiable arms reduction agreements with the Soviet Union if he is reelected in November.

Addressing the sixty-sixth riational convention of the American Legion the President also emphasized the need to continue the massive arms build-up which he initiated when he took office three and a half years ago.

To loud cheers from the

15,000 legionnaires who packed the Salt Lake City convention centre to hear the President make one of the main speeches of his reelection campaign, he declared: "We must complete the task of military modernization and improve readiness This is directly related to the prospect for arms reductions. In the past, we have succeeded best when we have bargained from strength.

He added that arms reduction treaties with the Soviet Union would be made "all the more feasible by maintaining our resolve to keep our defences

strong."
The President's address contained no new proposals for getting the stalled medium and long range missile talks going again. On the other hand, his address did not contain any anti-soviet rhetoric which characterized his earlier addresses to this and other similar gatherings during the earlier phase of his Administration.

The President emphasized the need to maintain America's traditional alliances "Our interests and Nato's are complinentary. Their strength helps us and vice-versa." Democrats' smiles, page 7

3,300 jobs in danger at Acrow

. By Jeremy Warner Acrow, one of Britain's best

known engineering companies, called in the receivers yesterday after a five-year struggle to stave off the effects of persistent heavy losses. The decision leaves more than 3,300 workers, facing an uncertain future.

More than half these jobs are

with Coles Cranes at Sunderland. Type and Wear, and at Grantham, Lincolnshire. Acrow also employs 540 in various businesses in the Stock-

port area of Cheshire and 580 at Saffron Walden, Essex, Another 338 are employed at its Presuman Brothers excavator subsidiary at Hull. There are further subsidiaries at Harefield, Midddlesex, and Maldon, Essex.
The Acrow directors asked Barclays Bank to appoint receivers when it became

apparent that the group - which lost £14m last year - will continue to suffer heavy losses Barclays is one of 16 British and overseas banks collectively owed about £50m by Acrow. In addition, the group owes £22m to other creditors. A large number of trade creditors is not

expected to get its money back.

Teachers angry over split decision 5.1% pay award

school teachers a 5.1 per cent over the next year. pay increase back-dated to April 1. only 0.6 per cent above the employer's final offer. The award brings the average teacher's salary up from £9,720 to £10,200 a year. Teachers' union leaders reac-

tions varied from disappoint-ment to dismay, and some last night predicted that angry rs would immediately call on their local branches to start indefinite protest sanctions in schools. The unions will have to resist

such calls, since they are bound by the arbitrator's decision, but their leaders are onimously predicting a turbulent pay round next year.

Employers greeted the result with delighted relief, saying it confirmed that the arbitrators accepted their argument that local education authorities cannot afford to pay more because of Government cash They warned, however, that

even the £25m extra necessary to meet the 0.6 per cent gap would mean many authorities being unable to afford to replace

Honecker

gives in

to Moscow

From Michael Binyon

In the wake of mounting pressure from Moscow, East Germany yesterday called off

the proposed four-day visit by

Herr Erich Honecker, the party

leader, to West Germany this

month, accusing West German politicians of engaging in "unseemly" public controversy

over the trip.
Herr Ewald Moldt, head of

the East German mission in Bonn, told the Chancellor's

office yesterday that the date for

the visit, due to begin on September 26, was no longer "realistic". He did not suggest a

The Bonn Government

issued a statement regretting the

postponement but rejecting the

Bonn (Reuter) - President

Chernenko, out of sight for

more than seven weeks and

thought by Western diplomats

to be seriously ill, will appear

in public tomorrow in a

ceremony to honour Soviet

cosmonauts, Victor Louis, a

journalist, was quoted as saying

reasons for it. Chancellor Helmut Kohl said Herr Honecker was still welcome in

West Germany.

The visit developed into an

international issue after the

Russians mounted a virulent

campaign against West Ger-

A row quickly broke out in

Bonn over Government hand-ling of the visit. Herr Willy Brandt, chairman of the Social

Democratic Opposition who

made the first visit as Chancel

lor to East Germany in 1970,

blamed the "garrulous dilettant-

ism" and opposition to the visit in the Christian Democratic

Victory for hardliners, page 6

Party for the postponement.

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later date.

By Colin Hughes Arbitrators have awarded teachers who leave the service accept an award which totally

The unions' greatest anger focused on the award being made after a 2-1 split on the arbitration panel for the first time in teachers' arbitration history. The 5.1 per cent was finally decided on the casting vote of Professor Eric Arm-strong the panel's independent chairman, and Emeritus pro-School Dr John Hughes, principal of Ruskin College. School. Dr John Oxford, and the teachers nominee, voted against the 5.1 per cent supported by the other panel member, Mr Robert

Ramsey, a former head in Ford UK's industrial relations department Mr Doug McAvoy, deputy general secretary of the 235,000member National Union of Teachers, said: "Teachers will be appalled that the chairman has been swayed predominantly by the employer's arguments on

cash limits and ability to pay.

This is the first time in the history of teacher's pay that an arbitration panel has been unable to agree an award. Teachers will therefore have to

fails to arrest the decline in teachers' pay, let alone pay any regard to the restoration of salary levels."

The teacher's panel had put in a claim for 31 per cent to restore salaries to 1974 comparable levels. They pursued eight weeks of strike action and disruptive sanctions in schools to win arbitration, and were hoping for around 7.5 per cent. Mr Fred Smithies, general

secretary of the 120,000-member National Association of Schoolteachers/Union Women Teachers, said: "It's disappointing, but it is at least better than the employer's final

"I think we are bound to face calls for indefinite industrial action, such as withdrawing goodwill, as of now. It certainly bodes ill for next year's pay

The arbitration panel for further education lecturers simultaneously awarded them 4.5 per cent, the same increase accepted by Scottish teachers last Easter. but lecturers on the lowest grade will get an additional £330 a

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Air show orders for Marconi and BAe

British Aerospace said at the Farnborough Air Show yesterday that it had won £6m worth of orders for three of its Jetstream 31 light turbo-prop transport aircraft. One has been ordered by

Swedair and the other two are for United States and British Marconi announced its

second export sale in a week of the new British torpedo, Sting Ray. Last week it sold Sting Ray to

Thailand, and a sale to Egypt has now been agreed. Marconi put the value of the two deals at £20m. Scottish Expedition Airways

announced an £8m order for two Swedish 35-seat commuter airlines, the Saab-Fairchild 340

arrines, the Saab-Fairchid 340 twin turbo-prop.

The Hummer, the first high technology competitor to the US Army Jeep, has been produced by the Texas-based LTV Aerospace and Defence Company. It has 15 versions and is bigger than a Jeep.

Fighter bid, page 4

Dismissal of

gamekeeper fair A gamekeeper whose love life in a tied cottage embarrassed his employer was fairly dis-missed, an industrial tribunal

decided yesterday.

The tribunal, sitting in Brighton, heard last month that Mr Michael Mann, aged 28, was dismissed by Lord Benson, aged 75, a former adviser to the Bank of England, who has a shoot on an estate at Singleton, near Chichester, West Sussex. Lord Benson said his shoot-

ing friends were embarrassed by Mr Mann who lived at his tied gamekeeper's cottage at Single-ton with two wives and two mistresses in five years.

In its ruling yesterday, the tribunal said it found it difficult to think that Lord Benson could have acted in any other way than to dismiss his gamekeeper.

Greenham camp eviction sought

The Department of Transport is to seek a possession order on the land occupied by about thirty women peace protesters outside the main gate of the Greenham Common cruise missile base in Berkshire in the High Court on September

The date was announced last night on the eve of the third anniversary of the establish-ment of the original camp there

Raiders play at cat and mouse

Two pairs of burglars trying to raid a rugby club thought the other were policemen until they realized they had a common

At Gloucester Magistrates' Court two of the men were remanded on bail. Stephen Large, aged 21. of Hardand Road, and Peter Robins, aged 19, of Arden House, Podsmead both Gloucester, admitted attempted burglary at Widden Old Boys' Rugby Club, Gloucester.

Safety campaign on motorways

A big campaign to combat "motorway madness" on the southern sections of the M1 and M6 is to be launched tomorrow Northamptonshire police and five neighbouring forces.

About a hundred police will

be deployed between London and Coventry and displays will mounted at service areas in an effort to reduce the 515 accidents that caused death and injury last year, one of the worst records on Britain's motorways.

Offer rejected

A meeting of 2,000 British Aerospace manual workers at the Filton aircraft factory in Bristol yesterday rejected a pay offer worth up to £250 next year. They have been on strike

Dairy farmers rush to claim special treatment

number in England and Wales, have applied for treatment as special cases under the EEC milk quota scheme introduced earlier this year.

The avalanche of appli-cations has astonished and dismayed the Ministry of Agriculture, which had hoped to have dealt with hardship cases and to have issued revised individual allocations by the end of this month,

To meet its target, it would now have to process some 1,000 applications a day, which is clearly out of the question. Even the National Farmers' Union, which encouraged its members to look for every possible loophole, admits that the figure has exceeded its highest

estimates. The grounds for claiming special treatment have been deliberately tightly defined, and do not admit the argument that a farmer has no economically viable alternative to dairying.
Under the scheme he is required to reduce his pro-

duction by 9 per cent, or pay a penal levy on the excess, unless he can show that his 1983 output was abnormally low because of: serious natural disaster, the accidental destruction of cattle buildings or fodder storage; an epizootic disease (frequently necessitating the isolation or slaughter of infected animals); loss of farmland by compulsory purchase; pro-longed incapacitation of the farmer or herdsman because of illness; loss of all or part of the

herd. Asked yesterday whether it

More than 20,000 dairy more such calamity last year, a farmers, nearly half the total ministry official replied: "That's your phrase, not mine."

There is some relief for the ministry in the fact that about 4,350 farmers have indicated that they are prepared to give up dairying under the so-called outgoers' scheme. Their com-bined production amounts to 6.5 per cent of the total national quota, against an expectation of only 2.25 per cent. That would allow greater

flexibility in allocating additional quotas to small farmers and to "hardship" applicants who were already committed to quota arrangements were an-

The complexities of administrie complexities of administrating the scheme have been underlined by a dispute over the sale and leasing of quotas.

The official position is that quotas are allocated to farms, and not to farmers, and are thus the sale of load.

transferred with the sale of land. The NFU has objected to that because it imposes unfair restrictions on tenant farmers, who have to seek their land-lords' consent if they wish to switch from dairying

The Farmers' Union of Wales has expressed concern about the leasing of quotas, whereby producers exchange allocations accompanied by only nominal sales and purchases of land. One farmer is said to have offered an acre and a half of land for sale for £52,000, including a milk quota of nearly 500,000 litres. The ministry said yesterday

that, while it wanted to see as much flexibility as possible, that sort of arrangement was clearly against the intentions of the was not stretching credulity to against the intentions of the suggest that half Britain's dairy scheme and would meet with farmers had suffered one or two strong disapproval in Brussels. scheme and would meet with

The Dock Strike

Union seeks Port strike to organize delays 34% picketing of cargo

Dockers' leaders are to make another attempt to coordinate their picketing campaign as pressure mounts for an end to he strike.

The Port of London Authority predicted yesterday that about 2,000 of its 3,300 workers at Tilbury would reply to its postal ballot on the stoppage, with an overwhelming majority voting for a return to work.

Mr John Connolly, national docks officer of the Transport and General Workers' Union, said yesterday that most of his members at the Essex docks would not fill in the ballot forms, although it was inevi-table that a minority who defied the union's advice and responded to the authority, would vote against the strike.

Union officials are to meet today to consider how to spread the strike. "We are going to work at persuading those ports still at work to join the strike," Mr Connolly said.

The decision to hold a ballot is seen by the union as a pilot scheme for new legislation which removes legal immunity from unions which have not taken a strike vote.

A national committee meeting of the docks section of the union is highly unlikely to reconvene a national delegate meeting, which would have the power to end the stoppage.

Mr Connolly said 23 ports out of 48 covered by the Dock labour scheme were still out, although all 94 men at Fleetwood, Lancashire, had re-turned. Between 9,000 and 9,500 dockers were taking action out of a total registered labour of 13,500.

By Michael Horsnell Sixty-five per cent of the cargo passing through the ports during the dock strike is being handled normally, the Freight Transport Association said

The other 35 per cent, mainly bulk products such as grain, timber and ores, is being delayed for short periods but most is finding its way into the

country through non-striking ports and by air and rail. Perishable goods remain unaffected by the strike. The situation around the ports is Fleetwood: (90 dockers) Continuing to work after men returned on Monday. Liverpool: (2,300) on strike. Manchester: Ellesmere Port (97) and Salford (37) on strike. Runcorn (18) working, Bristol: (683)

on strike. West Country: Cornwall (109). Weymouth (35), and Poole (81) working. Southampton (1,100), handling worldwide container traffic and car components, on strike. Dover: (300) working. Medway: (533) working. London: (2,000 at Tilbury, 1,000 at ancillary docks) 90 men reported for work at Tilbury,

compared with 46 on Monday.
East Anglia: (Ipswich 130) Great
Yarmouth (86) Felixstowe (1,100)
and Harwich (491) working. Pickets
from Southampton at Felixstowe
turned back a dozen container
lorries but local dockers walked
through their lines. Wash: (185 at
King's Lynn, Wisbech and Boston) compared with 46 on Monday

Grimsby: (119) and Immingham (733) continuing to work normally after first joining the strike. Hull: (1.000) on strike. Goole (214) working. Type and Weir: working. Forth and Tay (487 at Dundee and other small poorts) on strike. other small ports) on strike. Aberdeen: (259) on strike. Ban on livestock shipments from Orkney and Shetland lifted. Peterbead: (38) working Clyde: (238) on strike. Wales: Cardiff and Newport (550), Port Talbot (57) and Swansea (165) all on strike. Barry working. The 43 men at Mostyn Dock, North Wales, walked out after picketing by

Suitably pleased: The Olympic champion of Britain in a ceremony at the Savoy Hotel, yesterday. Coe wearing a brown suit and purple tie, said: "I am rarely out of a track suit, jeans, or T-shirt. I was once described Sebastian Coe (centre) Mr David Hicks, director of David Hicks International Designers (left), and the BBC Nine O'Clock News presenter John Humphry's hold their as looking like the straggler from a Jarrow awards after being named Best Dressed Men of 1984 by the Menswear Association hunger march" (Photograph: Bill War-

The miners' strike

'Damage squad' arrests 15

Fifteen striking miners were being questioned by Derbyshire police last night about attacks on the homes and property of working miners. They were arrested on a country road by detectives from a squad set up to investigate intimidation in the coalfield.

The men were travelling in a van early yesterday when they were stopped on the road between Grassmoor and Tupton, two mining villages near Chesterfield, in an area where there have been scores of allegations of intimidation of working miners and their

The men, believed to be from Derbyshire were held by officers from the county's damage" squads which have been investigating hundreds of thousands of pounds of damage

Scargill scare

Mr Arthur Scargill rejected an offer of extra police protection at the TUC Congress last night after an elderly woman from Nottingham was heard to threaten his life.

meard to infeated and smartly dressed, produced what looked like a silver handgun to prove she was going to shoot him, according to Mr Tim Evans, a Lancaster University student and 19 student, aged 19.

The woman, referring to Mr Scargill, told Mr Evans: "He's a menace. Twe got a gun and I shall shoot him".

Their arrest came as Derbyshire police announced the opening of a direct telephone to the homes and cars of line for victims and witnesses of working miners and national harassment and criminal dam-Goal Board property.

It was understood last night the the men had been under field 333185, will be manned

Derbyshire police are investigating a report that two children, aged six and eight, of a striking miners at Shirebrook, were approached in the street and told not to play with the

children of working miners.
It is believed that the warning was given by striking miners in the village which has seen several violent incidents since the fist of more than 150 men began returning to work at the

another incident, the second of its kind in two weeks, a lighted rag was pushed through the letter-box of a working miner in Shirebrook. · A striking miner who threatened the children of a working colleague was ordered to carry out 150 hours unpaid work for the community at Edinburgh

Sheriff Court yesterday.

Alexander Gay, aged 24, of Duckies Road, Mayfield, Dalkeith, had shouted at the miner. "Your bairns will get it at the school. They will get their guts cut out. We can do anything we like and get away with it".

More miners report for work

rush to break the strike. But The drift back to work by striking miners which began on there is a definite back-to-work Monday continued yesterday. trend and a general lightening of Miners in North Derbyshire, picketing, although there was North Wales, Staffordshire, Lancashire and Cumbria joined the back-to-work trend started earlier this week by men in Scotland, the North-east and

National Coal Board officials in some areas nevertheless disappointment about the number of men going back. A headquarters spokesman, speaking before news of the breakdown in proposed talks, said: "We believe that the miners early this morning scented a peace deal in the

some trouble in Kent, where there were 10 arrests". The return to work was strongest in the board's western area of North Wales, Lancashire, Staffordshire and

Cumbria, where a total of 4,500 miners turned up for duty. In North Derbyshire, 855 men reported for work, an increase of 45, and in Scotland record number of 209 reported in, an increase of four.

The number of men returning area by area are:

Yorkshire yesterday had 33

Monday; North Yorkshire had 13 men reporting for duty, as well as 60 contractors working at Selby, the same as Monday; Barnsley reported no men back at work, and in Doncaster nine men turned out, the same number as on Monday; In the north-east, 20 men were at work, an increase of four, and in Kent 24 men turned up, an increase of one; In South Nottinghamshire, Leicester, and working normally, and in Warwickshire all pits but one were operating normally. In working.

offing and are therefore in no men in the area reporting for Leading article, Letters, page 13

Liberals to debate spying

The question of bringing the intelligence services under parliamentary scrutiny is to be debated at the Liberal Party's annual assembly in Bournemonth later this month.

Mr Alan Beith, the Liberal Chief Whip, said yesterday that it was significant that the Liberals would be the first political party to have such a debate. The left had no time for the intelligence services, while the right took the view that no questions should be asked about what the intelligence services were doing.

That was an equally foolish attitude, Mr Beith said, be-cause it led to incompetence and to lack of proper ministerial direction of the services.

The motion for debate urges the Parliamentary Liberal Party to break through the convention of not discussing the

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor intelligence services in Parliament and calls for the guidelines under which the services operate, the appointment of their heads, and their budgets

to be subject to parliamentary Mr Beith also drew attention to a motion urging a fairer allocation of parliamentary time among the parties.

It describes present arrange ments, under which all Opposition days are at the disposal of the Labour Party as the official Opposition, as archaic, unrepresentative of the popular vote for the Alliance parties, and an affront to the public, and it urges Alliance MPs to disregard traditional parliamentary procedure in demand

The Liberals plan to hold an emergency debate on the

miners' dispute, of which the terms will be decided at the last moment. But the most argent question at Bournemouth is the resolution of differences over lefence policy.

Changes to the married man's tax allowance to provide extra funds for social security spending were given partial backing by the Liberal Party yesterday in its evidence to the Government's social security reviews (our Social Services Correspondent writes).

The present position, in which two adults have tax allowances of £5,160 if they are married and the wife works. £4,010 if they are not married and £3,155 if they are married and the wife does not work, is "indefensible and should be brought to an end", the party

Ambassador's son died from

An ambassador's unem-ployed son who enrolled as a £20 a day human "guinea pig" drug test programme died on May 29 minutes after being injected during trials at Dub-lin's Institute of Clinical Pharmacology, an inquest heard

But there were also traces o an anti depressant drug in his system, Dr Harbison said. The inter reaction would have multiplied the effect of the test drug 20 to 30 times.

day before the trial, his brother had been injected with the drug which he was taking on a fortnightly basis. Clinic director Dr Austin

The inquest is continuing.

Loneliness Scarman 'main cause finds race of stress tension still for priests' in Brixton By Pat Healy Race Relations Correspondent

to the Brixton riots in London

three years ago still remain and

still suffer racial disadvantage

and would quarrel with the idea

that things had improved since

Lord Scarman's public inquiry

are less equal when competing

"This induces in young black

people a hopelessness which could become alienation – exactly the situation which lay

behind the Brixton riots. There

is, therefore, no ground for

complacency."
However, he says a big step
forward has been made as the
local community and police
now co-operate in maintaining

terrible frustrations of unem-

ployment" which have trebled

in the three years since the riots.

But unlike young blacks in the film who see the Youth

Training Scheme as a way of keeping unemployment statistics down, Lord Scarman believes there is hope. Young

blacks have to be persuaded that they have a "dignified,

energetic and exciting role in our multi-racial society".

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Roman Catholic priests in England and Wales are "totally may have worsened, according to Lord Scarman. Young blacks demoralized, overburdened by pressures from both inside and outside the church, with no certainty about what they are supposed to be doing, and no hopes for the future". This bleak picture was

drawn on the basis of a survey of the clergy for the benefit of He makes these points in a film. "Scarman returns". to be broadcast on Channel Four on Sunday. It chronicles a visit to the National Conference of Priests, which is now meeting in Birmingham to discuss it. Brixton to discover what, if any, Its author, who conducted the survey, Father Peter Verily, described it as not the whole Lore Scarman concludes in the film that young blacks are troubled by the belief that they

story, though "to i problems would be cloud cuckooland". Father Verity set against what his survey found his corn impressions that many cergy had a great sense of folfilm

and happine The survey identified loneli-ness as a main cause of stress. Another stress factor was the difficulty priests had in hand-ling personal relationships as one priest put it, of "being a human being as well as a

"Everyone in our society, respective of colour or race, Once, the status of priest, has got to appreciate that we have to sell the British way of father figure to his parish and a "man set apart", was all that teattered. Now he wanted people to treat him as a person. life to young black people who have that sense of hopeless-Father Anthony Mills, of Cardiff diocese, called the priest "Pedestal Man" who, in The willingness of the local council and the Government to help has not overcome "the

the eyes of his parishio had no problems or feelings. Older priests at the confe rence, ordained before the Second Vatican Council in the early 1960s, were mostly nostalgic for the old certainties of their rule. Younger priests were impatient to be free of the remaining legacies of that past. Those in the middle found themselves caught in an uneasy transition, trained for a role now becoming obsolete.

The trend towards more

frequent flights by smaller aircraft is expected to follow at

Gatwick. It is already being seen

between a second runway or

failing to reach its projected

growth target", a senior figure in the Civil Aviation Authority

said yesterday.

But Mr Norman Payne,

chairman of the British Airports

Authority, said: "We are talking

about passenger levels for the 1990s which are very difficult to

predict. A second runway would

be against government policy

with the planning authorities in

1979 not to build a second

by Princess Michael of Kent

yesterday will relieve Gatwick's

great air traffic pressures with-

A new control tower opened

runway within 40 years."

and against a BAA agreement

"Gatwick must choose

Second runway for Gatwick 'needed'

airport cannot resulting from deregulation. achieve its projected target of 25 million passengers a year in the 1990s without having a second runway, because of the trend towards smaller aircraft making at Heathrow. more frequent flights.

A second runway would breach formal undertakings by the British Airport Authority to local authorities, and would involve considerable damage to existing Sussex communities such as the town of Horley.

Already the world's busiest single-runway airport, with about 13 million passengers a year, Gatwick is planned to reach 25 million and a new struction.

But instead of the projected growth of 31/2 per cent a year in aircraft size, the trend has already been reversed in the United States, with a 5 per cent reduction in passengers per aircraft in New York last year as

Ethics code

call for civil

servants

By David Walker

Social Policy Correspondent

akin to those for lawyers and

Such a code might in certain circumstances justify the unau-

thorized release of official information. Mr Clive Ponting

the Ministry of Defence official

accused of leaks related to the naval war in the Falklands, who

is a member of the association

has said a civil servant's loyalty extended to the public and

Parliament as well as to the ministers of a particular govern

The cases of Mr Ponting and

Miss Sarah Tisdall, the Foreign Office clerk convicted under the

Official Secrets Act earlier this

year, appear to have caused much heart searching among

Only last autumn a survey of

civil servants conducted on behalf of the Royal Institute of

Public Adminstration showed

few who thought they ever faced

Now the First Division

Association has decided to

consult its members on the need

for a code of conduct and to

The association's inquiry will

draw up specimen documents.

be led by Mr Alan Healey, a

social security administrator,

Nigerians deny

crate escape.

The Nigerians have denied

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The hard line recently taken by the Government over Civil Service leaks has spurred the First Division Association, representing officials in senior grades, to float the idea of a code of ethics for civil servants

> after Mr Warner lodged the election expenses for the cam-paign of the winning candidate for Norfolk North West, Mr Henry Bellingham. Mr Warner, aged 61, of Valley Rise, Dersingham, Nor-

him a conditional discharge. Mr Bellingham won the seat from the SDP MP, Mr Christopher Brocklebank-Fowler, who had defected from the

Mr Warner, held up newspaper cuttings of SDP complaints about Tory expenses, and said:
"There was bound to be bitterness. Politics is an exciting game. But, by jingo, it can sometimes be a dirty and cruel

Miss Xandy Smith-Hughes, for the DPP, said the pros-ecution resulted from three areas where the election expenses were wrongly declared. She said £10 was charged for using party headquarters as a committee room but £100 would have been more realistic; half of the cost of a council house sales campaign was included as £272, but the total cost should have been nearer

had not been included. Miss Smith-Hughes said: "Allof these would have taken the expenses over the £4,800 limit by £200 to £300".

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Prior takes his final curtain

Mr James Prior left Northern returning to the mainland. He cland yesterday for the last has held a series of farwell Ireland yesterday for the last time as Secretary of State, after a 15-week farewell performance in which speculation has steadily mounted about his suc-

cessor and his own future. Mr Prior's departure from one of the toughest jobs in politics has been likened to that of an ageing star making curtain call after curtan call in Belfast, Dublin, and in the Commons before retiring to the wings. Only a crisis in the province will bring Mr prior back to Stormont before the limited Cabinet reshuffle which the Prime Minister is expected to announce within a matter of

days.
Mr Prior left the province as he found it on his reluctant arrival almost three years go with a hunger strike in progress. In 1981 it was republicans who were fasting, now six "loyalist" prisoners are going without food in an attempt to force the government to grant segregation of inmates at Magillan jail in co

expressed their concern at Prior had stood out as a growing attacks on them before "shining light".

parties for civil servants, senior army officers, and personal friends, although in political circles the way he has left has added nothing to his standing. His remarks last May, when he admitted he had probably done as much as he could in the

province, are seen as a big error

and left him in the position as being viewed as a "lame duck' Secretary of State. But Mr Prior is also widely regarded as one of the most impressive of six secretaries of state, who had political weight and was prepared to argue Northern Ireland's cause in Cabiet and, in particularl, win more money for the province.

The Church of Ireland Gazette paid tribute to Mr Prior's

had been "as honest as daylight, gentle and compassionate, and selflessly committed to his duty as a public servant. The editorial said the prov-Londonderry. ince would be fortunate to see At Stormont, Mr Prior met a his like again and that in ince would be fortunate to see delegation representing bus contrast to his predecessors at drivers in the province who the Northern Ireland Office, Mr

work, saying he had shown a sanity in political judgment and

"Whatever failures there may have been were not his but ours. We, by our contemptible littleness, imposed the defeat on a man who was far better than

we ever deserved."

It is believed that Mr Prior will retire to the back benche and enter business amid rumours that he may be offered the chairmanship of General Electric. Mr Adam Butler, deputy at the Northern Ireland office for almost four years, is also expected to

The man tipped as a likely successor to Mr Prior is Sir Patrick Mayhew, Solicitor General, with the present Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State at the NIO, Mr Christopher Patten, becoming Minister of State.

Youth charged

A youth was last night charged in connexion with the death of Michael Collins, aged 8, of Speen, near Newbury, Berkshire. He will be appearing before a special juvenile court today. Michael was found naked floating in a river, he had been strangled.



Car bomb in Newry

A car bomb exploded in Newsy, co Down, yesterday, causing extensive damage and created panic among shoppers, many from the Irish Republic. Seventy-one people were taken to hospital and treated

for cuts, shock, and bruises.

Two people, including a child, were detained for observation. Two telephone warnings

about the bomb were made but the police said that the description of the car and its location were unclear, particularly as 100 vehicles were

drug mixture

yesterday. Niall Rush was the son of the

Irish ambassador to Luxem-bourg, Mr Kevin Rush. Dr John Harbison said that Mr Rush died from an inter-reaction of two drugs. He had been fed intravenously with 400 milig-rames of eproxindine, which regulates the heartbeat.

Dermot Rush, said on the

Darragh said 73 other subjects had been treated with eproxindine without any ill affects.

Tory agent 'victim of politics'

Mr Edward Warner, a Conservative Party agent, accused by the SDP of fiddling expenses at the last general election, was a victim of the dirty and cruel game of politics, King's Lynn Magistrates' Court, Norfolk,

was told yesterday.

The SDP complained to the Director of Public Prosecutions

folk, pleaded guilty to making a false declaration of expenses in July last year. Magistrates gave

Mr Raymond Bostock, for

£650; and envelopes at £216,20

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aged 40 of Pinnocks-way, Oxford, said: "He has comethrough it all right, but he will have to be heavily sedated for a Total Land (the land to the la few days because of the plaster

on his legs".

Mrs Linda Milligan, aged
28, said: "They would have done it sooner if it had not been for me. I hoped that maybe it would not be necessary".

She said they realized the best way was to give him artificial ones so that he could

med Comments of the comments o lead a a normal life.

After the operation, Eake will be in plaster for at least two weeks before being fitted with his new limbs. Mr Milligan said: "He's a

The boy's legs had been strapped to splints since he was very special boy. He has done everything the doctors said be uever would and I think he will dox while she was pregnant so that she could carry on 80 on last the same. I am not that she could carry on sure whether he knows exactly working. The drug is believed



Wedding day celebrations for Laitner parents, their son and the daughter of a solicitor, Mr the holding of their daughter Basil Laitner, ended in appal- Nichola at knifepoint, while she ling bloodshed when he, his was raped and raped repeatedly. wife, and his son were knifed to The attacker eventually left death and the bride's younger her tied up to face the reality sister repeatedly raped, Durham that she was the only one to

Crown Court was told yestersurvive the slaughter." Mr Stewart said it was Nichola Laitner, aged 18, was forced to walk through her father's blood at knifepoint probably early on October 24. the day after the wedding, that the killer broke in. before being raped in a garden marquee, where the celebrations

had taken place, the court was

jury of six men and six women,

accused of murdering Mr Laitner, aged 59, his wife Avril,

aged 55, a doctor, and their son Richard, aged 28, at their home

in Dore, Sheffield, between October 22 and 25 last year. He was also accused of unlawful

sexual intercourse with Miss

Laitner and with aggravated burglary. He denies all charges.

the Laitner family, leading members of the Jewish com-

munity in Sheffield, celebrated

the wedding of their eldest

The restrictions, under which the Sexual Offences (Amendment) Act, prevent the reporting of identities of victim

Intoximeter

poser for

Whitelaw

Lord Whitelaw, the former

Home Secretary, had been

asked to appear in court to give

evidence on the Intoximeter,

the controversial electronic breath-testing machine.

week from Sierzant & Company

solicitors, of Chorley Lancast-

shire, and if it is not taken up,

the firm will apply for a summons requiring him to

appear as a witness.

Mr Barry Pamplin, clerk at

the firm did not expect Lord

Whitelaw to appear in person,

but hoped that a summons on

him would persuade the Home.

Office to put forward an expert

so may modifications that it is

no longer the same machine

up to 5,000 cases involving the Intoximeter which had been

adjourned pending the detailed judgment of Lord Justice

Stephen Brown, who ruled on July 19 that details of the past

performance of Intoximeter machines were not admissable

Driver killed

37, of Parkgate Way, Murdi-shaw, Runcorn, Cheshire, was killed when his articulated lorry

Mr Jeffrey Campbell, aged

Oxford.

A child whom doctors said would never walk after his mother took the drug Deben-

bones in his calves. Doctors

were surprised when he began to walk after about a year but his legs began to cramble so

much that he faced life in a

wheelchair unless he was fitted

with artificial feet.

He said yesterday there were

The invitation came last

Mr Richard Laitner, was stabbed in his bed, his father knifed on the stairs as he Yesterday, Arthur Hutchin-son, aged 43, appeared before a investigated a noise, and Mrs Laitner killed as she fought her attacker barehanded. After that the attacker burst into Miss Laitners bedroom and told her that if she screamed she would be dead.

The man responsible, he said was Mr Hutchinson who boasted of the killings to Miss Laitner forced her to walk past the "dripping body" of her father on the stairs, his blood caking her foot, to the marquee where she was raped again.

Mr Robin Stewart, QC, for the prosecution, said that the "orgy of violence" came after "Her experience was spine chilling and horrendous". After his arrest, November 5, Mr Hutchings, Mr Stewart said, denied having been in the house but was linked to the killings by evidence from Miss Laitner and forensic science details.

daughter, Suzanne, aged 26, to an optician, Mr Ivor Woolfe. It started as a supremely happy day and it should have happy day and it should have ended as that. But it ended in Mr Stewart said that her attacker was bloodstained. Blood stains on the collar of her the most appalling and macabre

Restrictions 'unjust'

Mr Michael Corner, editor of The Star, Sheffield, explained yesterday why his sister paper, the Morning Telegraph, applied for reporting restrictions, which normally apply in cases involving rape, to be lifted.

And accused. The accused's name may be used only after conviction.

Mr Corner said: "According to the letter of the law the case would have been virtually unreportable and with such a wide public interest in the case. wide public interest in the case that was clearly wrong.

"It will mean some distress for the Laitner family and for group as her mother who was killed in the longest and most bloody of the struggles.

Blood from Mr. Laitner was found on the hem of his daughter's nightdress and her

Mr Stewart said that triangular-shaped blood stains were found on her bed, as if made by a person moving his wounded knee during sexual intercourse. Hutchinson, he said, had been treated in hospital for a knee wound sustained during his escape from police custody while awaiting trail for officers committed before the murders.

The blood was from a rare group shared by one person in 50,000 in Britain the same group as Mr Hutchinson's.

Mr Stewart also said that Miss Laitner helped artist to produce a sketch of her attacker, which bore an uncanny likeness to Mr Hutchinson as he then appeared, although, the court was told, he used to change his name and appearance.

Forensic scientists found two of Mr Hutchinson's palm prints on a bottle of Champagne in the marquee and teeth marks in a wedge o cheese in a refrigerator in the house were found to match his, Mr Stewart said.

Mr Hutchinson, from Kelso Grove, Hartepool, escaped from custody on September 28 and, using the name Patrick O'Reardon, was treated for a wounded leg at Doncaster Royal Infirm-

ary, the court was told: He told Miss Laitner that while on the run he had lived "like a fox" and after the murders registered at a boarding hodse under the name of A Fox. It was, Mr Stewart said, "a macabre sense of humour".

Mr Justice McNeill, had lifted reporting restrictions covering anonymity for a rape victim and the accused.

The killings took place, Mr Stewart said, after the 200 guests had left. Mr Laitner, his



Fated family: Mr Basil Laitner, (left), with his daughters, Nichola and Suzanne, his son, Richard, and his wife, Avril, photographed at Suzanne's wedding.

returning at 11.15pm. Nichola Laitner had stayed behind.

Mr Stewart said that Mr Hutchinson, who may have spied on Miss Laitner as she danced at the reception, entered Richard Laitner's first-floor bedroom after seeing a bridesmaid's dress hanging inside. It could have been that he was looking for a girl to rape.

Instead, to his horror, he found Richard Laitner, who was "dispatched to his death with two major stab wounds to his Mr Hutchinson killed Mr

Basil Laitner with two stab wounds to the neck and back, Mr Stewart said. He then went downstairs where Mrs Laitner was awake in her bed and viciously attacked her. "There were 26 marks of

violence on her body", Mr Upstairs, Nichola Laitner heard the noises and was

wife and son went to a relative's frightened to leave her room, home for dinner about 9pm, When Mr Hutchinson burst in, Mr Stewart said, he ordered her to switch on the light before forcing her to submit sexually,

Mr Hutchinson then handcuffed the girl and led her to the marquee where he again raped her, saying "You have got to enjoy it or I will kill you. That's where your mum went wrong. She created a fuss, so I had to

As dawn approached she complained of feeling cold and was led back to the bedroom, where she was raped. Before Mr Hutchinson left the house he tied her hand and foot with two of her dead brother's ties. She was discovered, hysterical, by two workmen who arrived to dismantle the marquee.

Throughout Miss Laitner's ordeal in the marquee - she was pleading all the time for her life - Mr Hutchinson had kept the knife used to kill her family stuck in the ground by her head. The hearing continues today.





Arthur Hutchinson: Denies all the charges

Hopes fade for early mortgage rate cut

By Peter Wilson-Smith A cut in mortgage rates could be delayed until after Christmas because of difficulties building societies are having in attracting funds to meet mortgage de-

Figures for August due out next week are likely to show that societies had their worst month for attracting savings for nearly three years.

Provisional estimates show that net receipts from the public were less than £100m last month, the lowest since November 1981. By contrast, mortgage demand remains strong with lending last month put at more than £2,000m.

Societies are pinning much of the blame for their present difficulties on attractive rates being paid by the Government on National Savings. The twenty-eighth issue of National Savings certificates has brought in almost £750m and the net inflow into National Savings last month is estimated at up to £600m.

Societies are ruling out a cut at their monthly Building Societies' Association council

Prices of 3D cameras likely to be reduced

Nimslo International, which has made a loss for two years after the launch of its threedimensional camera, is expected to reduce prices of its amateur market cameras at the end of this month. At present (Or Commercial Editor writes). The company also wants to bring down the cost of proces-

Mr Jerry Nims, Nimslo's founder who, with Mr Alan Lo, developed the 3D camera in the 1970s, resigned the chairmanship of the company at the weekend. Mr James Davidson has taken over.

Former addict tells trial of 'big gun'

Miss Carol McLafferty, aged 20, told a multiple murder trial in Glasgow that she had seen one of the accused carrying a gun, but admitted to being a heroin user until last week and that that could have affected her

Miss McLafferty, whose address was given as Easterhouse police station, was speaking at the High Court trial of seed 23.
Thomas Campbell. Thomas Another wi by setting fire to their home in

A total of seven men are facing charges ranging from attempted murder to assault Mr Pamplin argues that the attempted murder to assault intoximeter, in use in 600 and robbery. All the accused police stations, has undergone deny all charges.

deny all charges.
Miss McLafferty claimed that she saw Steele carrying "a big gun" about two feet long, in the house of a friend, Miss Jane Russell, in the Garthamloch district.

She told the court that Steele and her boy friend of three months, Mr Gordon Mess, left the flat with the gun for about half an hour. When her boy

"shocked looking". When cross-examined by Mr he said.

Donald Findley, for Mr Steele, Miss Miss McLafferty admitted she

was on heroin at the time.

She said she had told the police that she did not know

Drug case boy's feet amputated

say these things. I admitted I Those who died in the house fire were Mr Andrew Doyle, an ice-cream van drivet, aged 18; Mr James Doyle, his father, aged 53; Mrs Christine Hallermemory of events. son, Mr Doyle's daughter, aged 25; and her baby, aged 18 months; Anthony Doyle, aged 14; and James Doyle junior,

Another witness, Mr James Gray, Joseph Steele, and Gary Lochart, aged 20, said yesterday Moore, all from Glasgow, who that he had worked with Mr are accused of murdering six Andrew Doyle running an ice-members of a Glasgow family cream van owned by Marchetti Brothers. He said he knew one of the accused. Thomas Laffer-Bankend street, Ruchazie. ty, who had followed the van in which they were working one night last September.

Mr Lafferty had stopped in front of their van and ran back. warning them to keep away from his vehicle. Mr Lochart admitted that at times he and Mr Doyle stopped their van right next to the ice-cream van

owned by Mrs Agnes Lafferty.
When Mrs Lafferty's van
started working the Garthamlock area, Mr Doyle's van was put on as an extra. "It was to help the two other Marchetti vans and to make it difficult for Mrs Lafferty to make money

Miss Irene Mitchell, aged 18, said she worked for her father who had two vans hired from Marchetti. She said there was no trouble until October last year when Mrs Lafferty's van killed when his articulated lorry crashed through railings on a motorway bridge and plunged more than 40ft to the M56 near Runcorn.

They didn't by to make me into the area. Then another Marchetti van, driven by Andrew Doyle, was brought in "to keep an eye on us".

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turers, Merrell Dow Pharma-

centicals, has announced a

£92m payment to settle claims in the United States that the

drug caused birth defects. The Milligans, with other British

couples, are still pursuing their

Mrs Million said: "No one

knew anything about this until ourselves at first and traced

back our family trees, but there

was no sign of any problems

little boy with defects just like

Luke's".

Mr and Mrs Milligan with their son Luke. what is going on but I don't to be the cause of his

think it will take him long to deformities.

After the limbs have been

fitted the child will have to go

back to the hospital every few

months to have bigger pairs made. When he stops growing, doctors hope he will be able to

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Geoffrey Smith

Mr Neil Kinnock was addressing two audiences at Brighton erday. In front of him in the yesterday. In front of him in the hall were the assembled del-egates of the trade union movement, and he had to say enough in support of the miners to retain the confidence of this

He cannot want Mr Scargill to emerge triumphant from the strike. Mr Kinsock's task 25 Labour leader will be made much more difficult if union militancy is in the ascendant.

That would weaken both his authority as leader and the appeal of Labour to a national electorate, whose instincts are moderate. The Scargill bogy had been of great benefit to the Conservatives in recent years and that bogy is likely to seem all the more threatening if the miners' leader appears to be successful.

afford to disown the miners in a major conflict with a Conservabetween the party and the trade strong for that to be practical politics today. It may be istasteful, but it was inevitable that Mr Kinnock should express his general support for

Mr James Knapp, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, said that if ever a union had a case for support it was the NGA in the Messenger dispute. The NGA was trying to defend members who had been horribly victimized and it was trying to do it by legitimate use of its union rales. Seconding the NGA motion, Mr Knapp said he Government's employment legislation was designed to shackle the effectiveness of any trade union in trying to defend any trade union in trying to defend

> Dissociation from picket violence

Union of Journalists, said that when the general council failed to support the NGA, his union had already the NGA, his union had already risked everything in supporting a union they believe was following. TUC policy.

If the National Umon of Mineworkers had not had the example of the treatment of the NGA perhaps it would have come to the TUC earlier, Mr Bourne said.

"If the TUC had not failed to support the NGA, the Government would not have had the sure to take would not have had the guits to take on the civil servents at GCHO."

governments". As general propositions it is hard to fault these statements. They were not examples of great political courage because Mr Klunock was expressing sentiments that are widely shared at the top of the trade union movement, where it is appreciated how much damage picket line violence has been

Kinnock aims to limit damage

.Mr Len Murray and other

speakers had also condemned this violence the day before Had Mr Kinnock said less than he did on this theme yesterday; he would not have been acting in his own best interests. It is only fair, however, to give a political leader credit

when he makes the general statement of principle that is expected of him. Mr Kinnock deserves to be given that credit, without being transformed into He must now be hoping for a

Ele must now be hoping for a speedy compromise that would give seither Mrs Thatcher nor Mr Scargill the victory that each of them seeks. This would not bring Mr Kinnock and the Labour Party any immediate political dividends. There is no possible conclusion to the strike that would do that.

But the langer it continues. But the longer it continues

the more embarrassing it will be for Mr Kinnock, and the worse it will be for him in the a outcome one way or the other. For the moment Mr Kinnock's task is one of damage

limitation. He needs to followup yesterday's speech by making it absolutely clear that he is prepared to condemn trade union violence wherever and whenever it may occur. In the long term he would stand to gain from the nenter-ing of Mr Scargill, provided that he had given the miners

just excush support to avoid being blamed or their failure.

Violence an excuse for Thatcher to evade settlement, Kinnock says

the Opposition strongly con-demned violence in the miners' dispute when he addressed the 116th annual congress of the TUC at the Brighton Conference Centre

sterday. He outlined the case for coal and added "I say this to the congress, and there is no better place for saying that it is a case which we win

"Our asset is the rationality of the case for coal. It is a case which is not to be put with violence. That is a fact which faces all of us in this movement because we are this

Violence distracted attention from the central issue of the dispute and obscured the instice and validity of the miners' case. Violence has given the Government

Violence has given the Government its only bone of excuse to gnaw on."
It had enabled it to evade its central responsibility for promoting settlement of the dispute and had provided it with a long-sought opportunity to introduce politically motivated changes in the organization and methods of British policing until they had been shoved back into a period of conflict between police and public of 50 years ago.

Violence dispussed trade union

Violence disgusted trade union opinion and divided trade union attitudes. It created a chimate of brutahty and was alien to the temperament and intelligence of the Brutish trade union movement.

The violence of a tiny few provides another opportunity to our enemies, whose furid imaginations are bigger than their intelligence to say this is evidence of the effort of trade unionism to take political power other than by parliamentary

Delegates carried unanimously on a show of hands a motion calling for a matried couple's state retirement pession of faif national average earnings, and a single person's pession of one third. The pensions would not be means

The motion also sought restoration in the state acheme of the link between pensions and earnings, and upratings every six mouths. Under the motion the general committee to consider pensioners' committee to consider pensioners' rights and welfare.

Mrs Marie Patterson, of the Transport and General Workers Union, in an address on the general council's report on social insurance

council's report on social insurance and industrial welfare before the

debate on the motion, said that the government vandals wanted to

The black cloud over social security was the Government's so-called social security reviews.

There were fears that those were merely a smokescreen for further attacks on social security, that they

vere not genuine.

The general council would be

A drive to establish a united front

to challenge the Government's measures on union political levies was launched at the TUC last night.

The campaign, inspired by the Labour Coordinating Committee, was announced at a fringe meeting addressed by Mr Tom Sawyer.

deputy general secretary of the National Union of Public Em-ployees and a member of the Labour

Party National executive com-

mean that all trade unions affiliated

to the Labour party must ballot members by November or next year

on whether to continue the contributions, could affect the party badly. About £3m is contributed by unions annually, representing about 70 per cent of the party's annual

Mr Sawyer yesterday called for a five-point initiative to revitalize the

trade unions' purpose and methods as "the essential backdrop" to the

as "the essential backdrop" to the defence of union rights to Labour Party affiliation and political action.

Campaign against Tory

attack on political levy

By Glen Allan

Mr Neil Kinnock, MP, leader of democracy. "That is rubbish. It is a concern which they knew they had opposition, strongly con-The congress and its affiliated unions, its leadership and rank and file, had demostrated and asserted throughout history its belief that trade unionism was for changing conditions and that general elections, and only general elections, were for changing governments.

were for changing governments.

The movement had never in its history preached or practised any other creed and the congress never would. The Prime Minister had described trade unionists as the enemy within. That was the greatest slander by the Prime Minister against her fellow countrymen and countrymeners.

Trade unionists did not under-mine the welfare of their country because it was their country and they had nowwhere else to go and did not want to go anywhere else. They did not demand the destruction of the welfare state as the price of their confidence in Britain.

A government that wanted to treat British trade omonists as the enemy was a government at war with its own people (Applause).

They could see the battlefields in the devastated inner cities, the small transfer and the devastated in the devastated towns paralysed by closures, in the wasted acres of housing estates where unemployment was as high as 30 per cent. They could see the casualties, the wounded, by looking into the eyes of the young and at the shoulders of the adult unemployed.

if anyone wanted to see intimidation they should see the anxiety which controlled the fives of people, forbidding them to sleep and condemning them to anguish in every waking moment. They should then report it with all the lavish

'Link pensions to earnings' call

Mr Kitson: Support for

'powerless' pensioners

reasing the Covernment for consultations on any proposals emerging from the reviews before any legislation was futreduced. "They must not be allowed to silp in major changes by the back door", she told the delegates.

For the past 18 months the trade union movement has been caught in a pincer attack between the

Government's hostility and the 'new realists' day dreams", Mr Sawyer said.

we are to grasp the major issues ahead and build support for a trade

dation year in and year out for millions of fellow citizens in millions of fellow citizes idleness, poverty and despair.

"That is what we have to overcome. We have to win power to change these conditions and win power to make good our pledge to the pensioners which we must fulfil the name of decency and

They could not honour their pledges and offer hope without winning power.

Earlier Mr Kinnock said there was evidence that Mrs Thatcher regarded the miners' dispute not as a great problem or difficulty in the industrial situation but as a source of potential political profit.

She had cancelled her Far Eastern

of potential political profit.

She had cancelled her Far Eastern trip but they did not know what she intended to do with her extra week or two. Would she start to promote the resolution of the dispute, as any reasonably responsible British Prime Minister would be doing in fulfillment of her duty?

"Or will she start running total to "Or will she start running true to form and do nothing to conciliate but everything possible to deepen and prolong the dispute?"

The Labour Party would continue the efforts to and the dispute.

its efforts to end the dispute, conscious that this dispute, like so tnany others, would at some time eventually have to be settled honourably, round the negotiating

it was the duty of the Govern-ment not to inflame, not to exacerbate not to allenate but to seek to conciliate and promote negotiation to secure peace. The failure of the Government even to

The TUC would continue to argue that the nocial accurity system was for everyone's heacht, that notional insurance was the best

that satisfies insultance was the best way to provide for retirement, unemployment and sickness which were universal. Social security should not be returned to the medieval poor law role of applying only to those who were "poor and netfortunate".

Mr Alex Kitson, of the Trans

and General Workers' Union, moving the motion for his mion, said that for too long pensioners had been treated as a powerless mass, separated from working

people.

Ms Brenda Dean, of the Society
of Graphical and Allied Workers
82, seconding the motion, said that
Norman Fowler (Secretary of State

for Social Services) would under-mine established occupational pession achemes if they let him get

pesson schemes it they set aim get away with it.
"Watch out, there's a thief about, Thatcher the pession snatcher", she said. "That is the name behind the game and it will be the leggest swindle yet perpetrated on working people if they get away with it."

Health service

cash limits

condemned

The congress carried unani-mously a motion by the Confeder-ation of Health Service Employees condemning the increasing destruc-

lack of funding.
The motion believed that capital

services, to meet de

Both of these influences, repugnant as they are, throw up a solid challenge to Labour and the unions that must not be ignored if we are to grasp the major issues ahead and build support for a trade

waiting lists, and to increase NHS workers pay.

Mr Sawyer demanded a new political agenda of stronger union motion, accepted two amendments.

Card vote retaken after Nalgo confusion applauded again when he asked what primarily motivated the general council in the Messenger dispute? The prospect of TUC involvement in contempt proceedings and an overriding desire to protect the new discredised new realism.

Mr Leu Murray (left), outgoing general secretary with his successor, Mr Norman Willis (Photograph: John Manning).

A mix up in voting led to the first card vote of the congress being retaken and reversed yestenday some hours after the debate on antunion legislation and the NGA dispute against Messenger news-No-strike deals struck by the Electrical, Electronic, Telecommunication and Plumbing Union and others with high technology companies were attacked by Mr Rodney Bickerstaffe, general secretary of the National Union of Public Employees, during the debata on anti-trade union legislation.

There had been a misunderstanding about which amendment was the subject f the first card vote which led to Naigo casting its lation 780,000 votes the wrong way.

A motion by the National
Graphical Association rejected the
decision of the TUC general council
on December 14, 1983, to refuse to issue a statement of support for the issue a statement of support for the action of the NGA in calling a 24-bour stoppage of its members in protest at the use of the 1980 and 1982 Employment Acts by the Messenger Group.

It declared that the council decision was contrary to the policy

mious they will initiate and excessings sweetheart unions and sweetheart deals", Mr Bickerstaffe, said. He accused trade anionists at Kitachi and elsewhere who were "signing away the right to strike" of underwining the position of his members and others who work in essential services.

Unless such as Name four that decision was contrary to the policy agreed by the movement at the 1982 Wembley conference. The long motion later reaffirmed

The long motion later reaffirmed the decisions at that conference and instructed the general council to implement them in full should any affiliated union in future be attacked by employers using the provisions of the 1980 and 1982 Acts.

The amendment, which was first rejected on a card vote by 5,559,000 votes to 4,333,000, was in the afternoon extried by 5,316,000 votes to 4,674,000 votes, a majority of 642,000.

Mr Bickerstaffe was followed to the Rostram by Mr Roy Sanderson, new Act and work out their response. It was suicidal for unions to neglect political activity, as it would be to ignore industrial action. Every political question was a worker's question. The Trace Union Act was

Moved by the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers (Engineering Section), the amendment had sought to add to the main motion recognition that the Wembler statement had not meant

motion recognition that the Wembley statement had not meant automatic TUC support for the actions of an affiliate and emphasized the need for unions seeking TUC assistance to take account of the general council's advice.

After it was eventually passed, the main amended motion was carried by 6,562,000 votes to 2,879,000. A majority of 3 683 000

majority of 3,683,000.

majority of 3,683,000.

An amendment by the Institution of Professional Civil Servant desering condemnation of the TUC, including Mr Len Murray, for its handling of the NGA dispute from another motion was carried by 6,482,000 votes to 3,481,000, a majority of 3,001,000.

Mr Murray had told the congress that he made no spology for what he or the general council had done over the Messenger Dispute. It would have been an abdication of their responsibility to expose their funds and those of all unions to the courts.

and those of all unions to the courts.

Mr William Keys, secretary of the
Society of Graphical and Allied
Trades '82, speaking on the general
council's report on Trade Union
organisation and industrial relations
before the debate on the motions,
said that the TUC had been unable
to persuade Mr Tom King,
Secretary of State for Empiloyment,
not to proceed with the Trade
Union Act, 1984, a further intrusion
into hunt won reade union rights. It nd those of all unions to the courts. nto hard won trade union rights. It took away from members the right to elect their own executives how they chose. "In all our unions there they chose. "In all our unions there is an opportunity for any member who wishes to participate to do so."

The legislation had nothing to do with handing unions back to their members. It had everything to do with eroding democracy in junions and above all it was a blatant attempt to destabilize some unions.

Mr King had put a new duty on unions to compile a register of Mr Sawyer demanded a new political agenda of stronger union organization, great membership including a programmes, a fresh approach to collective bargaining, including a shorter working life, and a statutory minimum, wage and closer links with community groups.

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rights of the werkers concerned."

Mir Sanderson was heckled and there was derisory laughter when he claimed the agreements provided for elected forms that gave workers "a genuine say in how the factory is run".

"I do not apologize for these agreements", he said. Those who criticized them could never have tried to recruit workers in this industry to the trade anion movement. More than half the high technology campanies were non-Unions such as Nupe fear that the Government could point to no-strike deals in the high technology sector in support of their introduc-tion in essential services. Mr Bickerstaffe was followed to the Postrum by Mr Roy Sanderson

"If the Government cannot ben

a battleground for the future. Of the Manpower Services Commission Mr Keys said that despite the Government's inter-ference it would be the politics of a

futile gesture to walk away from the MSC. This would not impress the young people who needed help and protection. The Youth Training Scheme needed a campaign for improvement, not to be abandoned.

Mr-John Morten, Secretary of the Musicians' Union, moving his union's resolution, said there were two sides to respect for the law. Responsibility for an orderly society lay on those who made and administered the law as well as those to whom it applied. This Government had failed to observe that responsibility. It wanted to restore the balance of power to the restore the balance of power to the

What about the judges? Lord Denning had advised unions to leave matters to the judges, but the whole history of trade unions disproved the wisdom of that proposal. Some judges did not hesitate to indict a whole class of people such as trade unionists.
"The 1980, 1982, and 1984 Acts

are simply a network woven from blind antigonism to the trade unions," Mr Morron said. "We need to negotiate wide-ranging dis-cussions on trade union laws to take us into the next century." Any practical scenario must include the common law system and the judiciary, with or without the House of Lords. It would have to curb the power of judges to issue wide ranging injunctions in industrial insues.

Mr Allen Meadows, of the Banking, Insurance and Finance Union, seconding the Musicians' union's motion, said it was possible industries would import the techniques and services of union-busters. Unions would find it increasingly difficult to organize and to achieve recognition, and no option which might help the trade union movement should be excluded. More than two million fewer jobs were in the economy now than in 1979 and the decline continued



technology companies were non-

of the EETPU, who stoutly defended agreements made by his own union. No voluntary agreement rould deprive a worker of his legal right to strike, he argued.

"Industrial relations is not about waging same ideological battle. It is about improving the quality of the working life of the members we represent", Mr Sanderson told the congress. "These agreements enhance the individual and collective rights of the workers concerned."

rights of the workers concern

respect for law".

lines. Or would trade unionists have to go on the streets to get some

have not deliberately set out to break the law, he said. This has been thrust upon us by this Government making unlawful virtually every effective action that trade unions engage in. At no stage in the Messenger

At no stage in the Messenger dispute did the general council suggest that the NGA's action, defending its jobs, wages and working conditions, was anything other than justified.

Mr Dubbins was applauded when he added that the NGA had been fined \$675,000 and sequestrated for putting into practice the policy of

Warrington,
They should not be apologetic

Mr Morton: "Two sides in

It was a pity that the movement's NUI members did not pay more attention to the deliberate anti-trade attention to the detrouse and union attitudes of many employers union attitudes of many employers and less to over-sensationalized reporting of actions on the picket lines. Or would trade unionists have

Mr Tony Dubbin secretary of the National Graphical Association movies motion on anti-union legislation, said both amendments should be opposed. It was with the deepest regret that the NGA found it necessary to criticize the general council for its handling of the Messenger Newspapers dispute in Warrington.

Mr Michael McGabey, president of the Scottish NUM, said that the NUM, miners and mixing communities would like to thank the congress for its support the previous

support our struggle and we are in breach of the law. I do not want to apologise for being in breach of an anjust law. "This movement's whole existence was to combat

my nate intends in lying to the enterest of its members.

Mr Roy Grantham, general secretary of the Association of Professional, Executive, Clerical and Computer Staff, moving his union's amendment, said the NGA could not have won its dispute with

the Messenger group whatever the TUC did.

He urged unions to back the general council in standing up to the Government where they could win.

Don't ask our movement to throw

away its resources by fighting every case even if it has already been lost."

Mr Cells Bourse, of the National

Today's debates

The congress today concentrates on education and economic policy. Education motions refer to expansion of educational opportunity; government education policies; reforms in secondary curricular training for jobs, universities and trade anion support for the arts.

The debates on economic bolicy open with a call for a shorter working life. Other notions involve low incomes: low incomes; unfair competition and imports controls; disclosure of

The problem Warrington, and now, was that it was not possible to have an effective industrial dispute and remain within the law. All the NGA had wanted was a statement of support for its action. "The general council decision to overturn its own employment committee and to refuse to issue such a statement will go down the history as a day of betrayed and immitation for my union." To renewed appliance Mr Dubbins said: "This motion will ensure it will not happen again".

But no Labour leader could

the miners yesterday.

But he was at the same time addressing the wider audience of public opinion, which is not enamoured of trade unions in general these days and had been disgusted by the violence on the picket line.

Recause the links between the party and the unions are so close some of this disgust is always likely to rob off on the Labour Party. So on grounds of prudence as well as principle Mr Kinnock needed to dissociate himself and his colleagues from the abuses of the picket line in the eyes of this wider andience.

Mr Kinnock has not taken a particularly heroic line in the dispute up to now. His caution has erred on the side of timidity. But yesterday he made the explicit condemnation of violence that has been sought. He condenued it in terms of expedience, because it gave the Government a strong amount of fonded public aninion, and divided trade unionists from each other.

But he went beyond that He deplored violence in principe because it created a climate of brutality and was alien to the temperatment and intelligence of the British trade union movement. He also ruled out political strikes to bring down a government, "Trade unionism", he declared, "is for changing conditions and general elec-tions — and only general elections — are for changing

doing to the public standing of trade unions in general.

Swedish schoolgirl, 14, given heart and lung transplant

A Swedish schoolgirl, Cecilia Brandenfeldt, aged 14, has received a new heart and lungs in a six-hour operation at Harefield Hospital, west London. The operation was completed at 9pm on Monday. By yesterday afternoon she had been taken off a ventilator, was breathing unaided, and was

conscious. Her condition was described as satisfactory. The operation was performed by a team of nine doctors led by Mr Magdi Yacoub. It was the third combined heart and lung transplant performed by Mr Yacoub's team. The other two were adults: Mr Lars Ljungberg, last December, and Mrs Jean Iones, in April. They survived

Cecilia Brandenfeldt is the fifth heart-lung recipient in Britain. Two transplants were performed at Papworth Hospi-



tal in Cambridge in April and July. The first recipient, Mrs Brenda Barber, a Lewisham housewife, has returned home. The second, Mr Geoffrey Preece is progressing satisfactorily.

Consortium fighter bid By Edward Townsend, Industrial Correspondent

Panavia, the three-nation tations to the governments of consortium, including Britain, which makes the Tornado multi-role combat aircraft, wants to build the new European fighter, due to be delivered in the 1990s. Herr Hans Klapperich, managing director of Panavia, said at the Farnborough Air Show that the rough Air Show that the specification and agreed costs, consortium had made presen- Herr Klapperich said.



the three partners.
Panavia, which comprises British Aerospace, Aeritalia of Italy, and Messerschmitt-Bolkow-Blohm of West Germany had demonstrated with Tornado its ability produce a complex aircraft to

Cecilia's parents, Mr Ake Brandenfeldt, an accountant, and Marianne, a nurse, were alerted at the weekend that a transplant might be possible. They arrived at Harefield from Sowden at 10 m on Monday. Sweden at 10am on Monday. The donor was a teenage traffic accident victim.

Their daughter suffered from

primary pulmonary hyperten-sion, a deteriorating lung disease that puts pressure on the heart. As it worsened over the past two years, the right side of the heart became enlarged. A further heart transplant

was carried out at Harefield an Sunday an a businessman from Qatat in Oman, who was on a life-support machine. The man's name is not being released at the request of his family. His condition is described as fairly satisfactory. There have now been 131 transplants at Harefield. There

are 91 survivors. . More heart-lung operations can be expected at both hospitals. At Cambridge, doctors are assessing more than 60 referrals including a girl aged 14 and a boy aged 13. The cost of the operation and hospital care is met by the

health authority of the patient's

country. It would probably total about £14,000, which also

enables the hospital to extend

the treatment for British

A Nupe campagn leaflet explaints: The Trade Union Act restricts what amious can do without to ballot members every 10 years to see if the fund should continue. Irish pilot's joke upsets pilgrims From Richard Ford Belfast

Mr King had put a new duty on unions to compile a register of members and had given the High Court extended powers to meddle in union affairs. "Tis flurther attempt to shockle the tarde anions cannot go unanswered," Mr Keys said. Unions should not indulge in panic reaction but would need to study the

An airline pilot has be suspended from duty after offensive remarks accidentally relayed over the aircraft speaker system as Roman Catholics recited the

The pilgrims were travelling to Lourdes with the Irish Republic's state-run Aer As Canon Patrick Murray from Athlone, co Westmeath, was joined by priests, other pilgrims, and must in a decade

of the rosary, over the public address system came the words: You Catholic bastards. Stop the rosary."

The pilgrims were aston-ished at the remarks which the aircraft's captain had made as a joke to colleagues Сапов Мштау аррго

the captain, himself a Roman Catholic, and received an apology for the incident but Aer Lingus has suspended the man while an investigation is held. Mr David Kennedy, the airline's chief executive, has written to the Bishop of Elphin.

Mgr Dominic Conway, apole-

gizing for the remarks.
Canon Marray, who returned to the repblic with the pilgrims two days ago, had not heard the remarks, nor bad he

Whitehall's 'system of disbelief' attacked

The senior Civil Service has thinking including some of the an impoverished concept of proposals of the programme efficiency strategy, Professor Les Metcalie, of the European Institute of Public Administration and a former member of the Prime Minister's Efficiency Unit, said yesterday.

In a paper prepared jointly with Ms Sue Richards, a senior lecturer at the Civil Service College with recent Treasury perience, for a conference of ademics and civil servants at York University, Professor Metcalfe said that there was a danger that the Government's efficiency initiative would at best "drag British governments kicking and screaming into the 1950s".

Whitehall operated a "disbe-lief system" which enabled top officials to winnow out those elements of recent management

management," which prevents prepared by Lord Rayner, Mrs it from implementing fully the Margaret Thatcher's first Government's Whitehall efficiency adviser, which they did not like or did not Professor Metcalfe and Ms Richards made clear their views

were their own and did not commit the Government. They

said a genuine transformation of management in Whitehall

would have far-reaching consti-

tutional implications. Management could not be separated from the wider Whitehall culture which, in the past, had made an artificial distinction between policymaking and the carrying out of decisions taken by ministers: The Government's efficiency stategy and its financial management initiative had been constructed "within the frame work of established consti-

tutional myth and ritual".

Sport leads on teletext

More than 14 per cent of was carried out over six months adults watch teletext television services, according to an inde-

category, with 44 per cent of those who watched regularly, followed by news, 40 per cent, The survey of 20,000 people

for Oracle, the independent teletext service, by NOP Market Research. It found that 6.25 pendent survey.

Sport was the most popular million people had watched Oracle, 3.3 million of them in the past seven days homes had teletext sets

Baby death charge man in court Andrew Edward Neil, aged

20, appeared at Camberwell-Magistrates' Court, south-east London, yesterday, charged with the murder of Tyra Henry, aged 21 months.
Neil, of Bonham Road, Brixton, south London, who is charged with murdering Tyra on September I at Evelyn house, Bonham Road, Brixton, was remanded in custody to appear before Lambeth magistrates on September 27. He is also charged with assaulting Tyra's mother, Claudette Henry, aged 19, at the same address on August 24.

Island for sale The island of Tanera More off the north-west coast of Scotland, is up for sale, for just

over film. The island was used

by Frank Fraser Darling, the

Acid rain study The Welsh Water Authority s to conduct a three-year study of the effects of acid rain on soil near the Live Brianne reservoi

in Dyfed, West Wales. Police claims

Police cars in the West Midlands are being damaged so frequently, either by accidents or vandalism, that a full-time clerk is being hired to handle

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Warsaw looks at law change to exile Solidarity opposition

Expulsion of political offenders is being considered by the Polish authorities as a way of tackling the embarrassing opposition to General Jaruzelski and the measure could be used against the leadership and advisers of the illegal Solidarity

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Mr Jerzy Urban, the government spokesman, said yesterday that legal experts were examining the feasibility of changes in the penal code which would make it lawful to expel Polish citizens from the country if they were "repeated and insistent offenders against the consti-tutional system." Such legislation was not unique and similar clauses existed in French Swiss [although in this case it applied to foreigners] and Brazilian law.

Although Mr Urban emphasized that the experts were carrying out a feasibility study at the initiative of the Government's law and order committee, headed by the Interior Minister, General, Czesław Kiszczak, the right to expel its citizens would add an ominous new weapon to the armoury against political offenders.

When the United Nations and the Roman Catholic church were negotiating for the free-dom of the 11 Solidarity leaders and advisers earlier this year, the Government repeatedly signalled that it would be prepared to accept a "temporary,

Hijacked plane passengers back in Tehran

Tehran (Reuter) - Two hundred passengers and crew of an Iranian airliner hijacked to Iraq returned to Tehran yesterday after spending a week under Iraqi guard in an hotel in Baghdad.

Mr Frederic Maurice. the Tehran representative of the International Committee of the Red Cross, told reporters the two Iranian bijackers and four other passengers had remained

The airliner was assumed to be still in Iraq yesterday. Iran has called on the Baghdad authorities to return it and Iran Air said yesterday that efforts would continue through international aviation organizations for the return of the aircraft and the trial of the hijackers".

From Roger Boyes, Warsaw

exile" for the imprisoned Solidarity leadership was freed Solidarity.

witnout conditions under an amnesty announced on July 21. But the Government obviously sees long-term problems with the organizers of the Solidarity Opposition, few of

whom have shown any willing-ness to abandon their struggle A central problem, Mr Urban admitted yesterday, is finding Western governments ready to take expelled Poles. Several have been approached infor-mally and it has been repeatedly hinted that, under certain circumstances. Greece would be prepared to take exiled oppo-



Mr Urban: Approaches to

national unity Government reopened at a lower level after

talks between Mr Yitzhak

Shamir, the outgoing Prime Minister, and Mr Shimon Peres,

the Prime Minister designate

ended in deadlock on Sunday

Labour Whip in Parliament,

and Mr Dan Meridor, of Likud,

met in Jerusalem to try to

resolve the controversy over

Jewish settlements in occupied

There were no formal talks concerning the differences over

the division of authority but

representatives of the National

Arab territories.

Moshe Shahal, the

The attraction of such a system for the Polish Govern-The talks broke down, largely ment is that it keeps the number because the prisoners refused to of political prisoners low and accept such a solution, and the avoids creating martyrs for

> Under the amnesty law, underground activists freed from prison will be rearrested and have to serve their full term, plus an additional sentence, if they are found committing a "similar" offence. That has raised the prospect of prisons filling up again rather swiftly reducing the propa-ganda effect of the amnesty on Western governments, which

are being urged to lift sanctions. However, the authorities seem to have dodged the issue y applying "summary" or administrative" measures Asked whether Mr Wladys-law Frasyniuk and Mr Jozef

Pinior - Solidarity leaders who were rearrested on August 31 and immediately sentenced to two months' jail - would become fully-fledged political prisoners again, and the effects of the amnesty be revoked. Mr Urban replied in the negative. They were "sentenced not by

court, but by an administrative body, not for a crime, but for a civil offence". The authorities have thus found a way of locking up political offenders without assigning them the potentially embarrass-

Routine assignment that ended in mystery

Wall of silence in hunt for lost journalist

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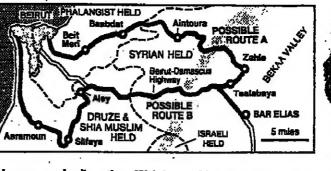
Jonathan Wright had been working the late shift at the Beirut office of Reuters on Tuesday last week, studying the reports still coming in of an Israeli air raid on a Palestinian base near the Bekaa Valley village of Bar Elias.

He turned up early the next day, driving to the office in his blue Fiat 2000 Mirafiori car and sitting in the newsroom to read through the overnight files from Reuters correspondents around

He telephoned Andrew Tarnowski, the senior Reuters reporter in Beirut - the bureau chief was away on holiday in London - and the two agreed that Mr Wright should set off for the Bekaa to report on the previous day's air raid. It was a routine story for a journalist in Lebanon, checking the casualty reports of an air raid that was itself almost mundane. .Mr Tarnowski could not

leave Beirut: a week earlier, three gunmen holding auto-matic rifles had stolen the office car in which he and two colleagues were travelling every militia and occupation through night-time Beirut, tak- army in Lebanon, asked their ing his passport, press accredita- Damascus correspondent to tion and residence permit at the contact the Syrian authorities - same time.

So Mr Wright, aged 30, from Oxford with fluent Arabic, ling - distributed photographs



Lebanon puzzle: Jonathan Wright would have taken one of these two routes last Wednesday but he was not seen at any of the many checkpoints involved.

agreed to go to the Bekaa. His of the missing reporter and tian Phalangist militias, then up colleagues in the office remember him appearing tired as he left at 8.30 that Wednesday morning. He had been working hard on a long series of feature articles after a visit to Israelioccupied southern Lebanon. All he said as he walked out

of the door was: "I'm of L." He has not been seen since. The Reuters staff have tried everything to find him. They have been in touch with almost

Wright could have been travel-

Lebanese Prime Minister, that find him. Mr Wright is a highly experienced journalist familiar

talk his way out of difficult situations So what happened to him?

with Lebanon and its politics,

calm under fire and well able to

Mr Wright is likely to have chosen one of two roads to the Bekaa Valley, The first runs through East Beirut, controlled by Christian troops of the Lebanese Army and the Chris-

received a personal assurance into the mountains above the from Mr Rashid Karami, the capital, where he would have passed through the Syrian front the Lebanese authorities would line at the smashed village of do everything in their power to Douer Choueir. The road then runs down to the Bekaa through Syrian Army checkpoints and one road block in the Syrianoccupied area controlled by Islamic Amal, the extremist Shia Mushim group controlled by Mr Hussein Moussawi, in the eastern Lebanese city of Baalbek.

The second road would have taken Mr Wright through Shia Muslim and Druze checkpoints south of Beirut, then up through the Druze-held mountains to Aley and from there across the

Syrian Army into the Bekaa.

Reuters reporters have driven along the two roads and discovered that none of the gunmen and soldiers on checkpoints there had seen Mr Wright, At Douer Choueir, for example, the Syrian troops questioned by Reuters had all been on duty when Mr Wright left Beirut, but none of them remembered a British reporter passing through their lines.

It seems increasingly likely, therefore, that Mr Wright was waylaid in Beirut, perhaps not far from the Reuters office.

David Betts, the Reuters hureau chief in Beirut, has contacted all the militias in the city, so far to no avail. "There hasn't been a trace so far," he said yesterday. "Not a phone

call to us, not a word".

Mr Wright, who is shortly to take up the post of Reuters bureau chief in Oman, had returned only recently from southern Lebanon, where he had reported from Tyre and Mariayoun on Israel's continuing war with Lebanese guerrillas.

His reports were reprinted in Beirut's daily English language newsaper, but there was nothing in them likely to have angered Israeli. Syrian or Palestinian agents in the Lebanese capital.

An unseen presence hovered

Israel coalition talks

court yesterday commuted.

tence of Maher and Karim

Younis, convicted of murder

and membership in the Pales-tine Liberation Organization, to

tife imprisonment. The two

reopen at lower level

Religious Party who met Mr men, both 26, are distant Shamir and Mr Peres separately relatives.

settlements.

and the Labour Party for a make concessions.

in the background as Cana-dians went to the polls in a federal general election yesterday. It was the first election in 19 years that Mr Pierre Trudeau was not a candidate. But although the former Prime Minister was not participating in the election, he was very much a part of it – in ways that his successor, Mr John Turner, may forever regret.

That there is no love lost Negotiations between Likud said they were both willing to Mr Shamir reported to a

between the two has long been a basic fact of Canadian caucus of the Likud parliamentary faction that he was ready to compromise concerning the structure of the Government politics. But even Mr Turner was not prepared for the time-bomb that Mr Trudeau handed but would not accept a freeze on him just before turning over the reins of power on June 30, two LOD: An Israeli military weeks after Mr Turner had won the leadership of the the death sentence of two Israeli Liberal party which Mr Tru-Arabs convicted of murdering a dean was relinquishing after 16 soldier they picked up hitch-hiking in Israel (AP reports). The court reduced the sen-

The retiring Prime Minister persuaded Mr Turner to sign a written promise to appoint 17 Liberal MPs, retiring at the same time, to well-paying jobs in the foreign service and as members of the Senate, Cana-



Turner counts the cost of patronage issue

Ebullient mood: Mr Mulroney, the Conservative leader, at his final rally in Quebec

It was probably the most fateful undertaking Mr Turner ever made. The appointments were the last of about 240 appointments made or instida's non-elected Upper House. , gated by Mr Trudeau in the

month before he left office, and the wholesale largesse, distrib-uted mostly to long-time Liberal supporters, blossomed into

one of the biggest issues in the

push the Liberals into a defensive position. Mr Turner has maintained

that he had no choice but to give in to Mr Trudeau on the appointments. Otherwise Mr Trudeau would simply have made the appointments effective before he stepped down as Prime Minister, thereby depriving his successor of the majority that the Liberals had been enjoying in the House of

In that case Canada's Governor-General might not have acceded to Mr Turner's request for a dissolution of Parliament for the early general election that Mr Turner wanted. Although some constitutional experts dispute this point, the Governor-General might simply have called on Mr Brian Mulroney, the Conservative leader, to form a government.

Mr Trudeau, who has retired with bis three sons to a handsome house on the slope of Mount Royal in Montreal, took little part in the campaign until the final week or so.

Then he made several pearances on behalf of Liberal candidates

American held after bomb blast

From Our Correspondent

Police investigating the bomb explosion at a Montreal railway station which killed three people and injured 27 more. yesterday were questioning an American alleged to have written threatening notes a few days before the blast.

The man, named as Bernard Brigham, aged 65, a former US Air Force navigator, was arrested in a Montreal street

Mr Brigham was identified by the police as the author of everal notes delivered to railway authorities and news agencies in the days prior to the explosion attacking the Roman atholic Church and urging: Kill Popes."

The Pope will be in Montreal on Tuesday in the course of an II-day Canadian tour. Mr Brigham's former wife

said in Mentor. Ohio, that her former husband, a drug manufacturer, was declared mentally

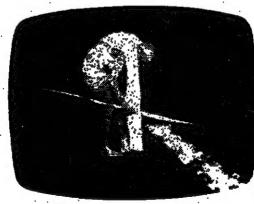
FEW CHANNELS WOULD DARE SHOW ONE OF THESE, LETALONE ALL OF THEM.



The English National Opera Company with their recent triumph in America; Benjamin Britten's spectacular opera about Queen Elizabeth L



Wednesday 12th September. Punch & Judy. Harrison Birtwistle's opera of desire and aggression directed by David Freeman and described as "a vivid and violent post-Freudian melodrama," marks the composer's fiftieth birthday.



Wednesday 19th September. Satyagraha. The first chance for British audiences to see Stuttgart Opera's controversial production of Philip Glass's hypnotic opera based on Gandhi's life and legacy of



Wednesday 26th September. The Wind. An original print of the silent film that made Lillian Gish famous. Life on a Texan prairie is so sharply portrayed you can feel the wind and taste the endless dust. With new Carl Davis score.



Wednesday 3rd October. Show People. King Vidor's 1928 malicious and satirical comedy of Hollywood. Starring Marion Davies in an amusing parody of Gloria Swanson. With new Carl Davis score.



A striking melodrama from D.W. Griffiths in 1919. Lillian Gish touchingly portrays life in slummy Limehouse: The original score by Louis Gottshalk is conducted by Carl Davis.



Wednesday 17th October. A Woman of Affairs. A 1928 Garbo film never screened before. The story in which she goes from man to man (including Douglas Fairbanks Jnz) is taken from a popular twenties novel. With new Carl Davis score.



Wednesday 24th October. La Cenerentola. Rossini's enchanting opera of Cinderella sensitively filmed by Jean-Pierre Ponnelle, starring the delicious Frederica von Stade.



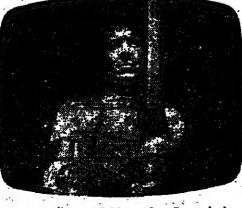
Wednesday 31st October. Baryshnikov by Tharp. Three pieces specially choreographed by Twyla Tharp for Mikhail Baryshnikov and his American Dance Theatre, climaxing in Sinatra Suite, a setting of Sinatra's greatest songs.



Wednesday 14th November. West. Enfant terrible of theatre Stephen Berkoff has adapted his highly successful "West" a contemporary epic about London gangs in mock-Shakespearian conflict, with dazzling video effects.



Wednesday 21st November. The Mabinog. Caemaryon Castle is the grand setting for this film of Welsh pre-Arthurian legends, combining dancers, actors and local people in a page ant with music by Robin Williamson and reltic reggae' by Geraint Jarman.



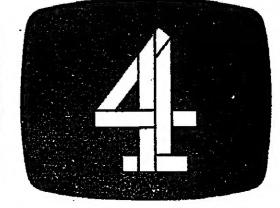
Wednesday 28th November. Starwashed. The surreal cabaret and fringe theatre group "The People Show" appear with guest star Julie Covington, in a rueful fable of tattered vaudevillians.



Wednesday 5th December: Puccini. Tony Palmer's controversial film, starring Robert Stephens and Virginia McKenna, sets facts about Puccini's marriage against extracts from Turandot.

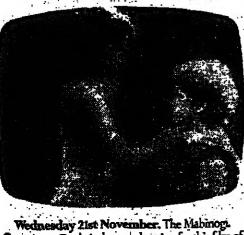


Wednesday 12th December. Kipling. Alec McCowen as Rudyard Kipling in Brian Clark's challenging play, initiated by Channel 4. A triumph at London's Mermaid, it opens on Broadway shorth.



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Honecker visit furore

Victory for hardliners in Kremlin linked to Chernenko uncertainty

proof that he is in command, since Mr Andropov did the

same shortly before he died. Mr

Chernenko has not been seen in

public since he left Moscow on

Pravda yesterday published a front page editorial on prep-

arations for the next party congress, but did not mention

though he has been active in

Mr Chernenko's Pravda inter-

Chernenko once, even

holiday in mid-July.

The decision by Herr Erich Honecker, the East German leader, not to go to West Germany this month - and possibly not at all - is seen in Moscow as a victory for Kremlin hardliners.

There has been evidence of Policy divisions have inten-high-level policy differences in sified with President Cherthe Kremlin on this and other important issues over the past month. Diplomats link the differences to Politburo manocuvring in the absence of President Chernenko, who is thought to be ill.

At the beginning of August Pravda launched a vituperative attack on West Germany, indicating Kremlin displeasure at the prospect of an East-West German summit at a time of general East-West tension. 12restiva, however, appeared to defend Herr Honecker's policy of dialogue with the West when it said that such contacts were beneficial for both sides.

In mid-August Professor Georgy Arbatov, director of the Institute for the Study of the USA and Canada and a senior Kremlin adviser, wrote in Pravda in temperate language on the lack of East-West contacts, and deplored the loss of dialogue on political, economic, scientific and cultural

The Arbatov and Izvestiva articles have since been swamped by a barrage of antiarticle on the death of Lenin's mother at the age of 73, adding West German propaganda, indicating that hardliners had take you by surprise".
This cryptic hint is preceded gained the upper hand and that Herr Honecker was under intense pressure from Moscow to call off his trip.

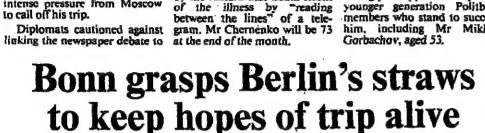
From Richard Owen, Moscow Articles in the same ocspecific Politburo factions, but casional series, called "Reading Lenin Anew", were used to hint said the differences between Pravda hardliners on the one hand and Izvestiya and Dr Arbatov on the other reflected at Mr Andropov's deterioration.

Diplomats detect further the Kremlin in dilemma over signs of disaray in Soviet policy on arms control. In his Pravda interview, Mr Chernenko made a point of emphasizing his view its relations with East Germany. nenko's two-month absence that if the Vienna talks on space from public life and growing weapons due to take place in rumours that he is incapacitwo weeks tome were successful it would "facilitate" the re-sumption of talks on strategic The Soviet leader gave an interview to Pravda last Sunmissiles at Geneva. day, but this is not regarded as

But a Froeign Ministry spokesman on Monday denied that any such linkage existed. and re-stated Moscow's hardline conditions for a return to Geneva. This is seen as an intervention by Mr Audrei Gromyko, the Foreign Minister, who has been largely respon sible for Moscow's unrelievedly hostile policy toward the United States since Mr Chemenko took over in February.

preparing a new party programme for the congress to The Soviet press has reflected Politburo divisions during past The congress, the twenty seventh, is not due until 1986. crises. including Afghanistan and Czechoslovakia. In 1968 Observers said Pravda seemed Pravda backed the invasion of to be indicating that the Soviet Czechoslovakia while other papers, including Trud, the trade union daily, strongly hinted at high-level reser-Union might have a new leader On Sunday Sovietskaya Rossiya, in addition to reproducing

view, also carried a front page Last week Trud again came to the fore, publishing several articles in favour of the internal reforms initiated by Mr Andro-'At that age any ailment can pov. which are regarded sceptically by Mr Chernenko but by the remark that Lenin learnt strongly supported by the of the illness by reading younger generation Politburo members who stand to succeed



From Michael Binyon Bonn

The second postponement within two years of the first visit here by an East German leader is a bitter disappointment to Chancellor Helmut Kohl's Government and a powerful reminder to the rest of Eastern Europe that the Soviet Union will not allow any real show of independence by its most important Warsaw Pact ally.

The postponement is likely to lead to sharp recriminations here over recent statements by senior Bonn politicians on German unity and reunification, which were the official pretext given by East Germany for Herr Erich Honecker's on not to come

But it is recognized here that the determined opposition from Moscow over the past six weeks to closer ties between the two German states, and the massive private and public pressure on Herr Honecker, put him in an intolerable position.

Bonn has shown understanding - while refraining from comment - of his evident wish not to antagonize the Russians further after East Berlin's pointed opposition to the Kremlin's freeze on relations with the West.

A statement by Herr Philipp Jenninger, State Secretary in the to come. This optimism that the Chancellery, who has led the intensive talks preparing for the visit in recent months, rejected the reasons given vesterday morning by Herr Ewald Moldt, East Germany's representative

public controversy in West Germany in connexion with the visit was "extremely unseemly and detrimental to it," something that was "absolutely



irregular in relations between vereien states".

Herr Jenninger said in reply: The federal republic is a country in which everyone can freely express his opinion". He noted that on several occasions Bonn had made it clear that Herr Honecker was welcome, and said talks about a joint communiqué had shown there were no differences that could not be overcome.

The belief in government circles yesterday was that Herr Honecker, who first accepted an invitation in 1981, still wanted visit was only postponed, not cancelled, was based on Herr Moldt's remark to Herr Jenninger that the date, rather than the visit itself, was "unrealistic," and on the fact that the two men went on to Herr Moldt said the style of discuss the communique that

will not now be issued. It is thought East Germany would like to use this for a later

The Bonn statement hoped

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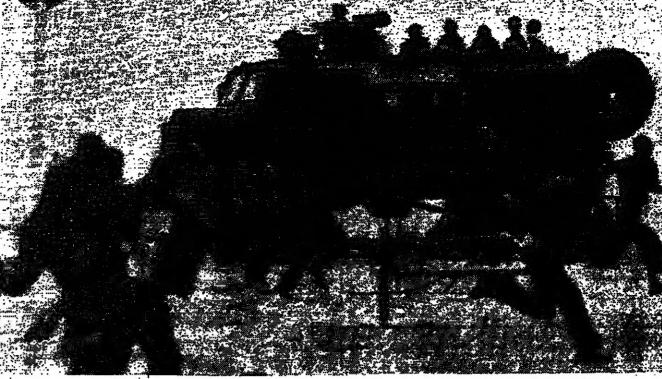
the postponement would no damage overall relations or continuing cooperation be-tween the two countries. Sources noted that Herr Honecker pointedly empha-sized his wish to continue an from shuttle improvement in relations even as signs mounted in the past week that he would not be coming.

Nevertheless, the domestic and international repercussions of the postponement are significant. Herr Kohl will come under renewed attack for allowing unwise statements on German reunification and relations with the GDR to be made by members of his own Herr Jenninger: Talks on party, and the Social Demo-cratic Opposition will reproach him for political clumsiness in agreeing to address the congress Germans expelled from

eastern territories. This has been a propaganda coup for the Russians, and yesterday the Czech press, following Pravda on Monday accused Herr Kohl of "virtually identifying himself" revanchist" claims.

Herr Honecker's judicious retreat from his cautious defiance of Moscow will be a blow to other East European states, which realized the importance of keeping a window open to the West. Even Poland, deeply suspicious of any closer relations between the two Germanies, spoke of the importance of continuing dia-

logue with the West. Political observers here say the real reason for the confusion Eastern Europe over the Honecker visit lies in Moscow, where, in the absence of leadership and authority by President Chernenko, a tough battle is being fought between



Rent rises triggered black rioting

Violence continued here and in three other black townships along the river Vsal about 40 miles south of Johannesburg yesterday as the police announced that the death toll in Monday's explosion of arson, looting and killing had risen to

The unrest also spread farther south to a black township near the Orange Free State white town of Welkom, where the police used tear gas to disperse gangs of black youths. The situation on the East Rand, however, where there was violence on Monday was reported to be quiet.

No further deaths were reported to have occurred yesterday, but during a full in the disturbances in the morning the police discovered 12 more bodies. They also said 38 civilians and eight policemen had been injured and 35 people arrested for public violence and housebreaking.

Unofficial sources, however, estimated the total of those injured as high as several hundred. The superintendent at the 800-bed Sebokeng bospital,

Astronauts

knock ice

From Mobsin Ali Washington

Discovery's astronauts yes-

terday used the shuttle's robot

landing today.

Mr Henry Hartsfield, mission

and gently tapped the ice chunk

sticking about 18in out from

two waste water venting ports.

"We got most of it", Judith Resnik, the second American

woman in space, told Mission

had feared that the ice, esti-mated to weigh between 10lb

and 25lb, might have broken off

during reentry into the amos-

phere and damaged Discovery'

The ice block, melted down to about half its size by

overnight heating, had mea-sured about 18in in length and

about 9in at its widest point

hazard. It appeared to be porous

and not very hard. The crew

will make another attempt to

dislodge this with the robot arm, Nasa said yesterday. The small piece was blocking

the waste discharge port and

restricting the use of Dis-covery's lavatory. The shuttle's accomplish-

ments have included the suc-cessful launching of three communications satellites in

the first three days of the

mission and three days of a

flawless testing of an experi-

A remaining piece of about

Control in Houston.

before the operation.

Mission Control

commander of Discovery's six-

terday used the shuttle's robot arm to knock a chunk of ice from the side of their space ship and began preparing for its first landing today.

day maiden voyage, took control of the 50ft robot arm

the biggest in the area, said it and around Vereeniging, the had been extremely busy since early on Monday, but that he was under instructions to say reported widespread absentee-ism among black employees. nothing to the press about the

number of people treated. Troops in combat gear took up a defensive position yesterday morning at the main entrance to Sebokeng township at the request of white administration officials. A senior official said the troops had later been withdrawn.

Nato commander wants

7% spending boost

Police wearing camouflage uniforms made regular sorties into the riot-torn townships in personnel carriers, using tear gas and rubber bullets to disperse crowds of young rioters and looters. Plumes of smoke could be seen rising

More than 60 buildings, including homes, food- and liquor stores, beerhalls, hostels, bus 'depots, garages, churches and schools have been

damaged, burnt or looted. Only a skeleton bus service was operating yesterday to and from the outskirts of the troubled townships, and white-run factories and businesses in

By Rodney Cowton

General Bernard Rogers Nato's Supreme Allied Com-

mander in Europe, said yester-day that the affiance would have

ing a Soviet conventional

of years of failure by most Nato

countries to stick to the goal of a

3 per cent increase each year after allowing for inflation.

There is no prospect

General Rogers getting the 7 per

cent growth in spending. Britain

and other countries are tending

to drop even the 3 per cent

Rogers tried to get agreement

on a 4 per cent a year increase He was speaking yesterday at

Prisoners end

protest fast in

Moroccan jail

From Godfrey Morrison Rabat

hunger strike for the past two months in protest at conditions

in jail have abandoned their

fast, the official Moroccan news

All but two of 29 prisoners on

years ago General

Defence Correspondent

main white town in the area,

Generally, journalists were not allowed into the townships, but it was possible to venture some way into Sharpeville along the rubble-strewn main street, lined with the drab rows of identical pillbox houses typical of black residential areas, past a smashed and burnt-out petrol station.

Further access was prevented by a makeshift barricade of rocks and empty oil drams and a threat of being stoned. Although the level of violence was clearly less than on Monday, the situation was tense and volatile and could flare up again.

In the Evator fownship, the brunt of the looting and destruction was born by Indian shopowners and small businessmen. Watching with a group of other Indians from a road running beside the town-ship as his second hand car business went up in flames half a mile away, Mr Yusuf Gadat

said: "The Africans came and told as to get out on Monday".

Although deaths have been caused by police gunfire, many of the dead appear to be blacks killed by other blacks. As so often in the past, in their inability to strike directly at the white Government, the anger and frustration of young blacks was expended on their own communities.

There seems to be no doubt that rent increases started the violence, which also attracted a purely hooligan element. Un-rest has been seething for most of the year, however, in black townships in Transvaal and parts of northern Orange Free State, mainly because of grievances to do with the inferior quality of black edu-

In the past month, the political atmosphere has also become increasingly charged as plans have gone ahead for the introduction of the new consti-tution which came into legal force at midnight last Sunday.

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Health fear on beaches in Portugal

From Our Correspondent Lisbon

The beaches in Portugal's were denounced this week as serious health hazards by the Quality of Life Minister, Dr Francisco Sousa Tavares.

In an interview on national radio, the Minister said that pollution from untreated the Estoril coast resorts west of Lisbon was particularly bad. The problem was also becomannual Autumn Forge series of military exercises, which range ing serious on the Algarve coast

"The beaches on the Estoril MOSCOW: The Soviet press yesterday condemned Nato's autumn manoeuvres as a coast should be closed to bathers," he said. "All the limits of hygiene have been passed." There had been cases of intestinal trouble caused by provocation and said the Warsaw Pact was carrying out its own exercises this week only water pollution on the Algaive because it was forced to respond

Army lorry requests faked

Hamburg (AP) - Letters, purportedly from the Defence Ministry requesting 17 Hamburg shipping firms to allow some of their lorries to be used in the West German army's autumn military maneouvres, are fake, authorities said yester-

Planes ferry

massive aid

to areas hit

by typhoon

Manila - Huge relief operntions began vesterday in

typhoon-devastated provinces n the central and southern Philippines where more than 440 people died, hundreds were

injured and tens of thousands of

people were made homeless (Kenh Dalton writes).

Air Force planes carrying food and medical supplies

shuttled between Cebu, Iloilo,

Bacolod and Surigao - four cities which were badly battered

by the strongest typhoon to hit the country in 14 years.

With many communication lines restored to the central

Visayas region, casualty figures and estimates of damage are beginning to reach Manila. In a national address, Presi-

dent Marcos called on the Filipino people to give assist-ance to the victims of the typhoon which he said was the

most severe calamity in dec-ades, affecting nearly 900,000

The letters, which claimed to have come from the "logistics staff" in Bonn, had been posted

Police dog gets driving licence

Wuppertal (AP) - The police driving licence to Ajax, the German Shepherd police dog, which will "drive" a police car into a fair, and "arrest" a criminal, played by his handler.

The licence is valid for life, unless Ajax loses it for drunkdriving.

Vatican meeting

Castelgandolfo (Reuter) -The Pope met two leading Brazilian churchmen, Cardinal Aloisio Lorscheider and Bishop Jose Ivo Lorscheiter, a few days before the Brazilian theologian Father Leonardo Boff, is due to be questioned at the Vatican on his theological writings.

Korean protest Seoul (Reuter) - Riot police

yesterday used tear gas to disperse about 500 South Korean students protesting aganist President Chun Doo-Hwan's visit to Japan, due to start tomorrow.

New post

Moscow (AP) - The Soviet Union has reassigned its ambassador to Singapore Mr Fyodor Potapenko, to Malaysia.

Horse power

Melbourne - Mounted cartle men blocked the centre of Melbourne yesterday as they drove more than 1,000 horses through the city in project against the creation of a national park in the Great Dividing Range farming area.

Hitler forger tells of Gothic gaffe

up the letters A and F.

agency, Map, announced yester-day. Two of the fasting prisoner died last week. They were jailed for their part in student demonstrations in Marrakesh last January which preceded riots that swept northern Moroccan cities leaving 29 dead and 114 injured,

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accused of forging the Hitler diaries", described to a Hamburg court yesterday how he had checked facts and dates about Hitler before writing each volume, but he did not realize, when he bought the Gothic letters in Hongkong to stick on the covers, that he had mixed

General Rogers: Too little

spent for too long.

a press conference to launch the

from Denmark to Italy.

(Reuter reports).

Herr Kujau, who has admit-ted the forgeries, said he had no trouble collecting information on events during Hitler's dictatorship, scribbling notes on slips of paper before setting to work in his "forgery studio" in his Nazi memorabilia shop in Stuttgart. Each volume took

The Praine handles as lightly

Herr Konrad Kujau, the man him about four-and-a-half hours him how the books came to be to write.

> "Like Hitler, I had to know precisely the details of important events." Herr Kujau said he did not.

once discuss the provenance of the diaries with Herr Gerd Heidemann, the former Stern reporter who is jointly accused of swindling the magazine out of more than DM9m (£2.3m). There was no need to, because Herr Heidemann was con-vinced they all came from the wreckage of the aircraft which he discovered had crashed in the village of Bornersdorf. Herr Heidemann had never asked

in his possession. Herr Kujau said, he showed

his first forged volume to a collector, Herr Fritz Stiefel, who seemed especially fascinated with the golden Gothic letters stuck on the cover. He said the whole story had then developed without his knowledge when Herr Stifel had spoken about the existence of diaries to

others.
Herr Kujau said he had spoken two months later about the historian. the diaries to the historian, Professor Eberhard Jäckel, and had been distressed to find how easy it was to deceive people he had regarded as authorities.



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election campaign.
In New York hardly anybody turned out to watch Mr Walter Mondale and Ms Geraldine Ferraro, America's best known political partners, lead a Labour Day rally down Fifth Avenue. When they arrived is Merrill. Wisconsin, a few hours later it began raining just as Ms Ferraro that had gathered at the fairground And at Long Beach, California, Mr Mondale was interrupted several times by a faulty microphone and by a spectator fainting in the crowd.

To cap it all, while Mr
Mondale and Ms Ferraro jointly laboured against those unforc-

seen hazards, word came into the Mondale camp that Presi-dent Reagan had opened his campaign before an unprecedentedly large crowd in Anaheim, California, and that his big lead over Mr Mondale in the opinion polls had widened still further. But if Mr. Mondale and Ms children is at stake,"

It could hardly be described

as a great start to a presidential

Ferraro were dismayed by such setbacks just as they began their uphill battle to dislodge President Reagan from the White House in November, they did not show any sign of it. -

They waved enthusiastically at the rows of empty chairs lining Fifth Avenue, waiting for spectators who never showed up. They joked about the weather when their audience in Merrill disappeared under a sea of umbrellas. And they just waved and smiled more broadly than ever when they realized that no one at the Long Beach

Mondale and Ferraro keep smiling through downpour of mishaps

Democrats on the campaign trail

their whistle-stop coast-to-coast. Gern" whenever she speaks. tour on Monday was also determinedly upbeat. Put sim-ply it was: "Don't write us off

Throughout their speeches. emphasized the importance of the election that lies ahead and



the need for a large turnout by voters. "This is not just another election." Ms Ferraro said.
"This is a watershed election election." over the future of this nation. Our future and that of our

They reiterated what they perceived to be the grave political, economic and social consequences of allowing President Reagan another four-year term, and drummed home the issues on which they feel the President is vulnerable; arms control, the budget deficit, taxes and fairness.

In many ways they are a well-matched pair. Ms Ferraro always speaks first, as moush she is the warm-up act for the. star attraction, which is what she really is. Her voice is slightly thin, and his jacket when campaigning

that Mr Mondale was mouth- a rasping tone to it once she is away from her home city. But The message which they tried the crowds seem to love her and

generates is far greater than it is present mood of the nation, for Mr Mondale. She is a novelty in American reliable. yet - We can still make it in novelty in American politics, the first woman to run for the got up to speak to a large crowd Mr. Mondale and Ms Ferraro tend to like novelty, and many vice-presidency. Americans of the people who fined the route of the Labour Day parade in Merrill had travelled great distances just to see her. "Gerri, we love you", they cried as she and Mr Mondale drove along on the back seat of a cream

1958 Ford Fairline convertible. Mr Mondale seems unperturbed by all this adulation for his running mate, Indeed the main reason he chose her in the first place was to "energize" and "electrify" his own rather dull

He beams like a kindly uncle as she receives her aclaim. But his attitude is always one of smiling deference. There is never the slightest hint of tenderness; not even an oldfashioned gesture such as a helping hand as she descends the steps of their aircraft.

There is genuine enthusiasm for Mr Mondale also, but it tends to be less vocal because he has been around in public life a long time and is not a novehy. He attracted his greatest ap-plause in Merrill when, with rain still dripping from sodden black clouds, be took off his jacket and rolled up the sleeves of his carefully starched shirt. Mr Mondale rarely takes off

gathering could hear the words her sharp New York accent has. His personality is as buntoned down as the shirts he wears. That is one of the main poblems he faces as he confronts a to convey at each stop during break into chants of "Gerri, President who positively oozes easy affability and whose sunny

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the crowd as a sign that he has finally begun to heed the advice given him recently by a group of Democratic governors: "Get out there, let your hair down, and campaign like hell."

Although Mr Mondale did not let his hair down his speaking style has much im-proved - and he is clearly doing is damnedest to give Mr He accused Mr Reagan of endangering the security of the United States by failing to meet

his Soviet counterpart or to

negotiate any form of arms control agreement during his time in office. He chastized the President for building up a huge budget deficit and for having no serious proposal for reducing it. He plied that Mr Reagan was being less than honest with the American people by suggesting that he would not raise taxes

year would have to raise taxes to reduce the deficit He attacked Mr Reagan for the unfairness of his economic and social policies. Under this Administration the rich were benefiting at the expense of the poor, "The big boys have been picking your pockets to line their pockets," he declared.

during a second term. Whoever

was in the White House next



Ticket to millions

28-year-old printer from Chicago, holding the ticket that has won what is believed to be the world's largest single lottery prize - \$40m (£33m).

The prize, won in the Illinois state Lotto game, is Mondale's roots, page 12 not as high as the \$71.8m paid

Mr Michael Wittkowski, a by Spain's Christmas lottery, regarded as the world's richest. But that is divided among scores of winners.

> Mr Wittkowski, photo-graphed with Miss Fran Pappas, his girlfriend, said he "jumped up and screamed" when he realized be had won.

Three issues remain as Hongkong talks edge nearer accord

From David Bonavia, Peking

here today for what may be the hood of a Chinese Government last formal session before the 13 years from now honouring

will make no comment on the that is probably the best substance of the talks, whose, settlement they will get. main outlines were disclosed in Hongkong recently by Sir settled at the talks include Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign nationality questions, civil avia-Secretary. However, it is gener-tion and land titles. Problems ally agreed that an accord not fully settled at the formal should be announced this negotiations, in which the month, to allow members of British side is headed by Sir Parliament time to examine it Richard Evans, the Ambassa-

British governments have gone through the motions of "con-sulting public opinion in Hong-kong", in practice any protests from that quarter to prevent the Britain for further consultations nineteenth century treaties ceding Hongkong to Britain from being abrogated have been ruled

China has said it will let Hongkong retain its capitalist system, its British-style laws and "way of life" for 50 years after soveighty over the territory is returned to Peking in 1997.

The Anglo-Chinese talks on Many people in Hongkong Hongkong are due to resume have misgivingabout the likeliannouncement of an agreement, these terms, but most agreed British officials, in accord- that in view of Britain's lack of ance with long standing policy, interest in retaining sovereignty,

important matters not yet before voting on it by the end of dor, may be dealt with by a less he year. formal working group of Chi-Although the Hongkong and nese and British officials.

> • LONDON: The unofficial members of Hongkong's Executive Council will travel to during the week beginning September 17, the Foreign Office announced last night (Henry Stanhope writes).

They will be accompanied by Sir Edward Youde, the Governor, on what could be their last such contact with the British Government before the Anglo-Chinese agreement on the colony's future is completed.

Chinese leftists jailed

From Our Own Correspondent, Peking More than 20 people have activity in spite of have been been sentenced to long prison disciplined for persecuting

been sentenced to long prison disciplined for persecuting terms in the Chinese province of Henan for allegedly forming a leftist "counter-revolutionary clique".

Counter-revolutionary clique".

All were indicted for forming the Cultural Revolution. They were sentenced to 15 years' All were indicted for forming

Zhang Sanyi, a former post a so-called "Chinese National office employee, and two United Front" with the object associates were accused of of overthrowing the Communist Party and seizing power.

EEC entry negotiations

Flexibility needed to save Spanish deal

From Richard Wigg, Madrid

Spain's EEC entry nego-tiations could break down completely unless both sides show more flexibility, Mr Peter Barry, the Irish chairman of the 10 foreign ministers, said after Monday's fruitless negotiating round in Brussels.

The session has confirmed the pessimism in Madrid. All that could be agreed was technical-level contacts between the two sides to prepare for the next ministerial-level negotiations in a formight's time. These are now hilled as decisive for the timetable of entry by Spain and Portugal on January 1, 1986.



Senor Moran: Talks could drag on.

Spain stack rigidly on Monday to its previous position against swift dismantling of its industrial tariff barriers, while demanding easy access for its

Internal differences amounties 10 on the other sid prevented presentation of any EEC proposals on the twin problems posed by Spain's massive wine and olive eil Sellor Fernando Moran, the

Spanish Foreign Minister,

Colombo denies

rebel's death

From Donovan Meldrich

reports in two morning news-

kam, the leader of the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Belam, one of the biggest rebel groups, had been killed.

-His death had been reported in an encounter at sea in

Monday afternoon in which the

Navy claimed to have killed

• CENSOR QUITS: Mr

Douglas Livenage, Secretary of the Ministry of State who was in

charge of the media and

functioned as chief censor of the

newspapers, resigned yesterday.

Mr Livanage returned to Sri

Lanks on Monday after visiting Israel where he gave, an interview to the Jerusalem Post.

in which he was reported to

have said that as Arab countries had embassies in Sri Lanka

laracits should not have been permitted to establish an inter-ent section under the amplices of the American Emberry.

The government them, and nounced that Mr Livaning and sought permission in visit Europe and Kenya while day intention of visiting hard. The Government disassociated useff

cight separatist rebels.

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Colombo Security forces in northern Sri Lanks and officials in

interviewed afterwards Madrid television, referred to the possibility of negotiations dragging on for seven or eight months more. But the negotiating positions would be no better then, he maintained, expressing hope that entry terms could still be settled before the year's

Senor Moran also referred to the crucial need for Spain's entry to be ratified next year by the French National Assembly while the Socialists still have a majority there. That effectively prevents. Spain's Socialist Government from having any interest in delaying tactics.

As Britain, West German and the Netherlands faced Italy and Greece on Monday over setting production limits on guaranteed olive oil prices, Madrid begins to grasp how the threat, of the badgetary problems, affects entry pros-pects. Spanish wine and olive oil surpluses would only aggra-

Under pressure from the Mediterranean coast citrus fruit groups responsible for Spain's leading agricultural export. Madrid kept up its demand on Monday that such products be exempted from the phased, restrictions over 10 years of fruit and researchies. years on fruit and vegetables. Those were agreed last October to placate the French and the Spaniards claim in general terms to accept them. At the same time, however, Madrid demanded quotas or other import restrictions to protect its own dairy, ment, sugar and cereal producers from the EEC. Even the advance Sen Moran had looked for on social benefits for Spain's immigrant workers was denied him by West Gemany and the Benelux

Socialists plan new drive

on apartheid From Charles Harrison

Nairebi Delegates from the Socialist International are taking part in a two-day conference in Arusha, Northern Tanzania, to discus ways of increasing pressure against South African apartheid and of speeding up Namibia's attainment of independence. President Nycrere of

Tanzania opened the meeting yesterday. President Kaunda of Zambia, and President Machel of Mozambique, and the Prime Minister of Zimbabwe, Mr Robert Mugabe, were also

Among the European del-egates are the Swedish Prime Minister, Mr Olof Palme and the Portuguese Prime Minister, Dr Mario Soares African frontline states and guerrilia groups want the European socialists to step up

pressure against South Africa

through sanctions

Obote told of US concern

Nairobi -The US Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, Mr Chester Crocker, held discussions in Entebbe vesterday with President Milton Obote, and repeated American concern about human rights in Uganda. But he also expressed from the remarks attribute to his country's sympathy for the problems facing the country



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THE ARTS

Television Sentimental allure

On television the facts are often matically-lit monotone image less important than the manner in which they are communicated. It seems extraordinary that after half a century of film as the most vivid medium of mass communication the practitioners in the craft retain so and lost some of their truth. much naivety about the way in which their messages are re-ceived and interpreted by the

In S.O.E. (BBC 1), the start of an eight-week documentary series about the wartime Special Operations Executive who were charged with sabotage and subversion, the facts were extraordinary. The S.O.E. "provides the last of the big 'now it can be told' stories of World War II", according to the series promotion. "Now it can be told" is a cliche whose use robs the description of the power to tell us the truth behind the hackneyed phrase.

So, sadly, the programme presented the world of genuine spies in the over-used glamour of decades of espionage thril-lers. "This was once the home of secret agents", announced the rich tones of the actor Michael Bryant over shots of S.O.E.'s Baker Street offices. We visited several creeper-clad country houses where the agents were trained, and the camera lingered over crossbow darts, daggers and exotic weaponry which would not have disgraced James

Black and white archive film was generously used, but dra-

are now the province of the Ovaltine commercial and the nostalgia genre. We are forced to view them through a haze of re-created reality; they have acquired a sentimental allure

There glimpses of the organization none the less; the roots of the James Bond myth were exposed as men enthusiastically demonstrated equipment or laconically discussed the risks they took From their appearance it seemed that many of the interviewees would have been men in their twenties as they sat in Baker Street planning to mine the banks of the Danube or send parachutists into Poland. One department of S.O.E. was dismissed as having disappeared under its own paperwork, something which never happened in heroic John

Mills movies.

No doubt later programmes in the series will evaluate S.O.E.'s work and take us past the early days of gentlemen learning fieldcraft from the Sandringham gamekeeper and black propaganda from Kim Philby. The organization's own propaganda, as falsely bright as an amateur dramatic society's Oklahoma!, seemed curiously genuine amid the archive film; the honesty of its intention to deceive looked truthful beside the unconscious deception of the rest of the programme.

Celia Brayfield

Concert

Revelling in space

LSO/Hickox

Albert Hall/Radio 3

Harold Acton once commented that most poetry aged him, but the poetry of Walt Whitman rejuvenated him. The effect of that rejuvenation on Vaughan Williams was felt again on Monday night in an elating performance of the Sea Symphony with the London Symphony Orchestra and Chorus and the Wooburn Singers conducted by Richard Hickox.

It may not be the sort of work that one too readily turns to on record or even on the radio; the Albert Hall, though, revels in its space and its sentiments. "Now", as Whitman said, "my thought begins to span thee" Again one was struck by the

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sheer skill of vocal writing which enables both solos and chorus to be thrillingly audible at high or low tide. And once more one was left wondering at the unembarrassed directness of response, the unfettered breadth in which the composer joins the poet in finding metaphysical momentum within the simplest

As jolly-jack-tar music pipes n and out of passages of understated impressionism. Felicity Lott, standing for all the world like a ship's figure-head, pealed out her invocation to flags and ship-signals, and John Shirley-Quirk expressed in a strange, still half-voice the awe of that "vast similitude" conjured so potently by horns and pizzicato cello pulse. Within and between the

work's movements, Richard Hickox's skill at managing a large orchestral and choral body matched Vaughan Williams's own disposition of forces, even if the side-drum too often had a mind and an enthusiasm of his own. Momentum took pre-cedence over majesty, playing belittling, the odd moments of over-earnestness.

A rerun of John Tavener's 1968 The Whale was an only superficially apt piece of programming. For all its beguiling episodes and its confident handling of as many sound-effects as can be packed into and out of the orchestra, the hollow at its centre was cruelly revealed by such a juxtaposition, and its prodigality of notion shown as mere extravagance.

Hilary Finch

Emergency In Ethiopia

crying over a severely dehydrated child who was at death's door. In the last 2 months she had lost her husband and three other children. This was her last remaining child - for which she had given up hope. She herself was badly undernourished, very weak and, of course, beside herself with

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Peter Maxwell Davies, who makes one of his rare conducting appearances at tonight's Promenade Concert, is 50 this week and still striding off in new directions

interview by Paul Griffiths, photograph by Murray Job

Out of the labyrinth

Tonight Peter Maxwell Davies goes Into the Labyrinth, conducting the work he wrote last year for Neil Mackie to sing with the Scottish Chamber Orchestra. It is, on the face of it, another journey into the Orkneys. The words are again by George Mackay Brown, whose knuckle-hard island poetry has provided nearly all Davies's texts of the last dozen years. The theme is Orcadian: as in the symphonic Black Pentecost notoriously rejected by the LSO a few years ago, we are asked to consider the impact of technology on an ancient closeness to nature. The music. too, has that sombre, troubled beauty that Davies discovered in the northern isles, And, like much of his recent output, the piece had its first performance in Kirkwall, at last year's St Magnus Festival,

But, not for the first time in Davies's art, all is not quite as it seems. Into the Labyrinth belongs less with the Orkney songs of vesteryear than with the big abstract works that have followed the much-acclaimed première of his First Symphony in 1978: it is, indeed, the "middle movement" in a symphony of symphonies for chamber orchestra, falling between the Sinfonia Concertante introduced at last year's Proms and the Sinfonietta Accademica heard in the Albert Hall just a couple of weeks ago. It is, as Davies is well aware, one of many recent steps he has taken away from his earlier identification

"I think there's a danger, if you spend all your time in one place, of becoming insular in a bad way. I feel I need to be in touch with what other compos-ers are thinking just recently, for instance, I've been very interested and excited by Elliott Carter's music. And I also like very much to have contact with young composers, as I've had these last few years at Darting-ton and will have next year when I go to Harvard for a few

Clearly things have changed since the time when Davies would appear for the occasional concert, in London or abroad, and then head straight back to his Hoy clifftop. He still does most of his composing there: Orkney has the obvious advantage of silence. But the need is not so pressing, perhaps because he has now discovered the self Concertante or the Sinfonietta Accademica, have been widely hailed as more relaxed and music. I put it to him, though, that something like the Eight Songs for a Mad King is a lot easier to take in than the

"Of course it is. What I've been trying to do recently is to conceal all the technical things, so that you can't see them in the score and probably can't hear them. I want the effect of something completely natural. That doesn't mean, of course, that there isn't an awful lot going on under the surface. It's like when you see a line in a late Matisse: it looks terribly easy, but it wouldn't be possible without an enormous amount of technique and experience. I

"Ours is the closest thing to an English theatre", says Nikos Psacharopoulos, Looking like a Greek leprechaun with a deep tan, Mr Psacharopoulos speaks from his marble-floored, booklined office at the Williams-town Theatre Festival in "It's wonderful when you go

to London that you can see plays for the third, fourth, fifth time, with different casts. It's wonderful to see plays done because actors want to do them, not because actors want to do them, not because they're new. Audiences in America say 'Oh, I've seen this play already', but what's so great in England is that they say 'Obviously I've seen this play, but I'd love to watch how a different cast does it'. Nobody says 'I've heard Beethoven's Ninth' or 'I've seen Carmen, therefore I don't want Carmen, therefore I don't want to again', and I want to change theatre audiences' attitude. I think ours is one of the very few theatres in North America that constantly repeats good plays

Mr Psacharopoulos, the theatre's artistic director and one of its founders, has travelled some distance towards luring audiences back to see classics. Now celebrating its thirtieth anniversary, the Williamstown Theatre Festival has grown from a community playhouse to perhaps America's most renowned and respected summer theatre, with celebrityladen casts and five successive years of capacity audiences

One of the far-comers when Uncle Vanya - starring Blythe Danner, Edward Herrmann and Austin Pendleton - played this year was the producer Norman lear, who was so intrigued on opening night that he came back later in the week just to see how the performances had grown.



Davies speaks unaffectedly enough to get away with talk of he went to Orkney to find. He maturity and Matisse, even if has come down from the such self-reflections were not mountain, bringing with him thoroughly justified by his works which, like the Sinfonia achievement at this stage in his career. The one subject he declines to discuss is the fact that he will be 50 on Saturday. approachable than his earlier He has turned down dozens of invitations for celebratory concerts, allowing only Radio 3 to mark the occasion by making him "This Week's Composer", which should certainly set the shaving mirrors jostling later

Maybe one reason for his lack of interest in jubilees is that he prefers to be concerning himself with new works rather than old ones. His appearances as a conductor are now rather rare. "In the past I had to conduct my own music because there was nobody else to do it. But now there are other people: there's much more understanding of how this music should be

music, which is something nobody else can do."

The work he is writing at the moment is his Third Sym-Edward Downes in the composer's home town of Manchester on February 19 next year. Two movements are finished, and the third is complete in sketch. The first movement is a big allegro, and then the next two are both scherzos. I wanted to carry on with some of the ideas I had in the scherzo of the Second Symphony, which I think is the most successful movement in that work. But this time there are two scherzos, the second a shadow of the first. and much shorter. Then the finale will be a slow movement: I think you'll need it by that

Like Into the Labyrinth and its two companions, the new symphony moves away from the very active percussion involvement in earlier orchestral scores: it will be for a played and conducted. And I'd normal symphony orchestra

unlikely, though, to be colour-less. The Sinfonietta Accade-mica showed what Davies can do with the most conventional phony, due for performance by resources, and a performance the BBC Philharmonic under last year of his Stone Litary ewed his faith in his powers of orchestration after an unhappy première of that work. "It's amazing how something like that can hang over you. Then I heard the Chicago orchestra do it, and it was like

spun silk."

After the symphony Davies's composing schedule is well planned. His long-awaited second large-scale opera Resurrection, turned down by Covent Garden, is due for performance at Darmstadt in 1986, and that year too Isaac Stern is booked to play a new Violin Concerto with Previn and the RPO. After that will come a Trumpet Concerto; there is also a commission from the London Sinfonietta for a work unvolving children. And a Fourth Sym phony? "That's probably four years away yet. But yes, I've already got a sniff of it."



Intriguing Uncle Vanya: Edward Herrmann, Blythe Danner

Theatre in the United States Back to the classics

Also in the first-night audience were Richard Thomas and Marsha Mason, newly arrived to rehearse the next play, Tennessee Williams's Vieux

"The first year we did very commercial plays like Gigi and Time of the Cuckoo", Mr Psacharopoulos recalls, "but we also did Giraudoux's Ondine, and everybody liked it." The response encouraged the fledg-lings to mount Saint Joan, the highlight of the 1956 season. "So we shifted gradually to the more important American and European plays which the theatre became famous for." To date, the festival has mounted 238 productions of 179 plays, emphasizing Chekhov, Wil-liams and Shaw, interspersed with Brecht, Rostand, Euri-pides, Ibsen, Turgenev, Molnar, Wilder, O'Neill, Weiss, Stop-

which distinguishes us", Mr Psacharopoulos continues, "is the company of actors who have emerged - like Austin Pendle-ton, Christopher Reeve and Jill Clayburgh - from apprentices at the beginning of their careers, and those who have joined us for many seasons - like Blythe Danner, Frank Langella and Richard Chamberlain. Good people draw good people, and actors love to work with the best among their peers in great

Both a boon and a problem to the theatre are its brief (one to two weeks) rehearsal and performance schedules. These enable tightly booked stars to come to Williamstown, but usually mean that character and ensemble development will still be in midstream on opening "The short rehearsa period is tough", admits Mr

Psacharopoulos, "but our audiences are interested in the process and know that if they come on opening night the production is not going to be what it is at the end of the week. That is why some people come to some plays twice - to see wonderful actors growing." The festival has itself grown

far beyond a distinguished revival house. In 1973 a cabaret

theatre was inaugurated; in 1974 a Sunday Special Events series which has celebrated such artists as Kafka, Coward and Weill. In 1972 an experimental second company was founded to do new plays, and this year the company moved into its own theatre, the Extension. Trevor Griffiths to write and direct his new play Real Dreams, which opened at the staged readings of new plays began last year; this season started with a work by William Gibson, author of Miracle Stars, rising featured players

and newcomers are likely to appear anywhere, any time. Blythe Danner is seen in cabarets and special events as well as on the main stage; Christopher Reeve played the title role in the Extension's opening show, A. R. Gurney Jr's Richard Corp. Geraldine Fitzgerald played the leading role in the first staged reading and directed the second Extension show. Once known as a sleepy campus community - the home of the Ivy League's Williams College, where the festival is based - Williamstown, Massachusetts, has blossomed into one of the liveliest

Holly Hill

London theatre

Black Dog

Tricycle

Reopening the gaily refurbished Tricycle (decor by the stage designer Poppy Mitchell), this new piece by Barney Simon and the six members of the Johan-nesburg Market Theatre, has been seen here so for only at the been seen here so far only at the Traverse in Edinburgh, Less moving than Woza Albert (to say nothing of Poppie Nongena), it nevertheless manages to say things beyond the scope of both those shows. – and, by building up a picture of the past of all the characters, black and white, over the years, it generates a human warmth that: contrasts powerfully with its t confrontations and to carry the seeds of

Mostly confined to one role, all the actors address us in the first person. John Maolusi Ledwaba energetically sets the scene of the 1976 Soweto student protests. Kurt Egelhof bitterly introduces himself as Cape Coloured. Neil McCartby,

with the modest smile of the school prefect and victor ludo-rum, launches himself on an

The picture, free of all stereotype, is of human animals shaped by a range of stimuli from suffering and humiliation to ambition, conditioning and a variety of ignorances. Most modestly, there is James Mthoba whose crumpled, eager face is instantly touching, as a little school caretaker who finds himself appalled at his own unthinking aggression. So does Mr McCarthy's character, which hits hard after his lusty. intensely convincing account of the near-sexual thrill of battle.

As Sarah Hemming noted in her review from Edinburgh, the play's origin as ensemble-written work has enriched the development and truth of the characters at the expense of the overall shape and sense of direction. Even over a 95-minute span, the structure of intercut monologues begins to fall apart.

Anthony Masters

Galleries

Harold Hitchcock Christopher Wood

There is no point in your going to the Royal Society of Arts to see the work of Harold Hitchcock, since the primarily loan show of his work there was on for only four days and is now off. However, it did offer a rare chance to catch up with this eccentric painter's work, and anyone who is further interested can generally find two or three examples at the Christopher Wood Gallery in Motcomb Street, which presented the larger show.

Hitchcock, curiously for a British painter, seems to be better known in America. He is 70 this year, and has been painting away in virtual iso-lation for most of his life, with an extraordinary consistency of by two artist uncles when he was a child, and had produced his first portrait at the age of nine and his first large-scale oil by the time he was 13. The most important external formative incident was his first visit to the National Gallery when he was 16, when he fell in love with the work of Claude, a passion still with nature, and that too is something he has never lost.

The paintings themselves are mostly large watercolours, but sometimes oils, and such is the richness and intricacy of Hitchcock's watercolour technique

that it is sometimes difficult at a distance, or in reproduction, to tell the two apart. They are all imaginary landscapes with strong symbolic overtones; some are given titles evoking Arthurian legend, but most of them are more generally titled. something like A Woodland
Pool or Landscape with White
Horse, and we are left to work
out our own significances if we will At first glance most of them look straightforward enough, suffused as they are with a misty grey-green light or a Palmeresque golden glow of Arcadian sunlight. But when you look more carefully you begin to see oddities the occasional giant plant or pygmy person that suddenly chall

our sense of scale. Indeed, the more you look, the more peculiar the paintings get. There are touches that seem style and vision. He was almost naive, particularly in the originally encouraged to paint small, rather awkward figures except that we know from reproductions of Hitchcock's early work that he could paint the human figure with academic precision, if he wanted to, at the age of nine. And at least the technique is all of a piece: he is wholly master of his fantasy world, and if we are to enter it evident in his painting today. Some may well find it repellent, But as a child he seems to have and undoubtedly there are lived largely in a Traherne-like moments, as in Judy Geeson as world of ecstatic communion Saint Cecilia, when it trembles on the edge of kitsch. But there is no doubting the force and intensity of the vision, or the skill with which it is captured on canvas for us to love or hate.

John Russell Taylor

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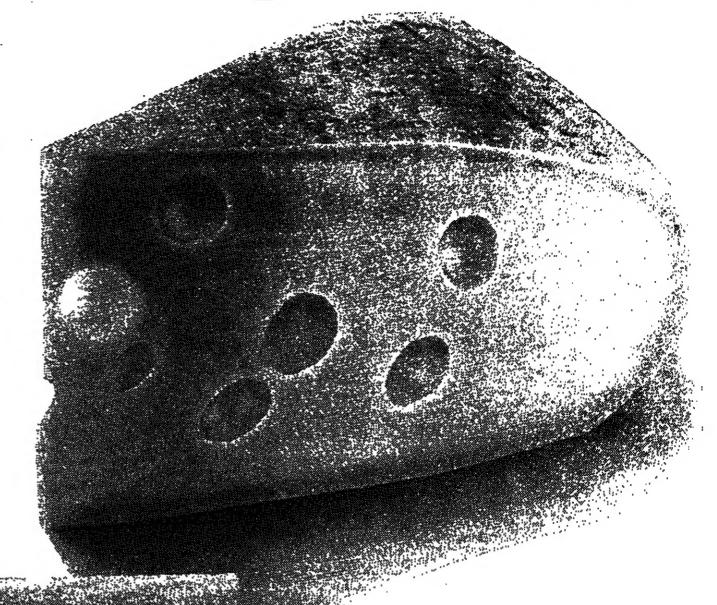
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2003: How the sex and joy drugs proved a hollow sham

Safe exultant pills promising higher highs and sexual thrills disappoint the sensation-seekers. The final part of Norman Macrae's vision of the future

The first drug crisis occurred in the Twentieth century when western governments and poli-ticians responded with all the mistakes so typical of those last years of over-government. Heavy taxes had rightly long been placed on the traditional hallucinogen, alcohol (which was incompatible with driving a carl, and the traditional tranquillizer, tobacco (whose longterm damage to health had been discovered only because it had existed for a long time). By contast in 1960-90 opium-demattive drugs were not taxed, and were instead subject to erratic legislative prohibitions that did not work. The prohibmons were directed especially at pushers, the consequences of which should have been known from experience. During the 1920s there were attempts to prohibit alcohol in the same way. Predictably, organized crime then took over the market-place. Pushers became very nasty people indeed, sometimes blackmailing their crazed chents to commit crimes for them, with guns blazing.

By 1985 the drug crisis could be cured only if tax systems replaced bans, or with scientific breakthroughs. Fortunately, the latter happened rather quickly. The hard-drug crisis of the late Twentieth century arose largely because the action of B-endor-phin, the body's own endogenous morphine, was mimicked heroin. B-endorphin is a chemical which regulates the sensitivity of the nervous system: when produced in quantity it suppresses the reactivity of the system. Heroin. therefore, could suppress pain and give a sensation of euphoric detachment from external stimuli. Problems of addiction arose because, when heroin is administered from without, the body stops producing its own en-dogenous morphine. When consistent heroin use is suddenly discontinued it takes time for B-endorphin production to begin again, and in the meantime the nervous system becomes horribly hyper-

During the 1990s, the advance of elementary genetic engineering made possible the commercial production of Bendorphin. So heroin addiction (and its worst pains) could be effectively counteracted. Sensibly, governments then replaced bans with taxation systems - with the highest taxes on the addictive substances that did most harm topium, gin. tobacce, and some of the drugs which were given free by state instead.



health services in the early 1980s) and no taxes on endogenous morphines.

Commercial interests made the untaxed substances more and more palatable, so that alcohol consumption also virtually disappeared except for exchange between neurones can certain expensive wines. Today. Palo Altophin is imbibed at parties because it tastes nicer and creates a more social atmosphere than gin, as well as involved in the actual business being compatible with driving a of thinking. A powerful intellect motor car (and indeed compat- is not the gift of a hyperactive ible with doing practically brain, although some ad hoc anything provided you check advantages and even aesthetic first on a scanner or have a periodical biofeedback session.

In 2003 advertisements began to appear on telecommuting terminals (TCs) proclaiming the imminent arrival of a new generation of genetically engincered compounds such as memoratives which could help people to remember or forget. IQ boosters which could make children much eleverer than their parents (perish the and aphrodisiacs which could change the chemis-

Several leaders of the newly confident churches - which had prospered with the return to commune and village life - said that these drues promised biasphemous powers and called for prohibitions (which would have created black markets). They and the drug pushers evaggerated their effect. Students, who thought the new memoratives and intelligence creators would help them to sail through exams. failed them

A good memory is not one which holds everything that is poured into it. The sharpest mind is the one that has the happy facility of ignoring all irrelevances. Drugs which increase the rate of informationprovide an immediate boost to IQ. but they work on all the neuronal systems within the brain, not just the ones that are brain, although some ad hoc



pleasures can be derived from occasional use of these detranquillizers.

The new psychotropic drugs which created most stir in 2003-10 were the aphrodisiaes and pounds, especially attractants and exultants. The most efficient attractant drugs are based on human pheromones: hormones secreted by the skin to signal the sex of the secretor. which sometimes assist in triggering sexual desire in others. When a child grows up in a normal household, and is equally fond of both parents, he enthusiasts, although there was or she is usually attracted in adulthood to the pheromones of the opposite sex; that is how we widely expressed fears of addic-

is too exclusively attached in childhood to his mother, he can become attuned to the wrong set of pheromones, that is the main cause of homosexuality. which can now often be "cured if curing is considered desirable.

Perfumes supposedly containing pheromones were albeing marketed in the 1980s, but they proved something of a disappointment to men and women who had hoped to be able to drive members of the opposite sex wild with desire. Pheromones convey information rather than transmit commands. Anointing oneself with concentrated pheromones typical of one's sex did have some effect in calling attention to oneself, but was not in itself a sufficient basis for the birth of an infatuation or

A greater utility has been found in anointing oneself with pheromones typical of the opposite sex, which has a marked effect in discouraging gloriously failed to do. We have unwanted attentions - they are failed to find ways to mechanize unwanted attentions - they are used by beautiful women to

The second main category of aphrodisiaes, the exultant drugs, are rapidly metabolized hormones which trigger the physiological responses generally associated with surges of joy. sensations of triumph and sexual orgasm. was expected of these drugs by a hard fight before they were allowed on the market. perpetuate the race. When a boy tion cloaked a more deeply felt

ability of such drugs. Once on the market, how

ever, the boom in them faded

quickly, for a predictable reason. Most people have always had available the means to induce orgasm in themselves. In the end, the scientists' substitutes for the various imagined forms of amatory magic served to show what a hollow sham it usually was. There are still some people who see this as a failure of psychochemical science, or as a kind of tragedy. In fact it is welcome, for it conserves the

real value of authentic human experiences. It reminds us that it is worth working hard to win pleasure. to achieve triumphs. to capture moments of joy and Over the whole period of scientific advance from 1974 to 2024 we can take most comfort not from what we have done.

people. We have failed to rob them of their humanity. No matter what our continuing analyses of the working of the human brain may tell us, the power of self-determination the freedom to be what we choose - cannot be taken away

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Drifting apart

two centimetres a year while Austalia is moving from South America towards Hawaii.

"Map makers of the future will have to take note of even small movements", says Stuart Malin, head of the Department of Astromony and Navigation at the future laser techniques might the National Maritime Museum. "Position finding on earth is improving daily, and with personal navigators which will use satellite radio signals, we will eventually know of positions within a few metres anywhere in

X marks the spot

An historical twist means that the national grid used on Ordnance Survey maps is not the international Greenwich Meridian, whose centenary is being celebrated. One hundred years earlier, in 1784. General William Roy, who mapped the Highlands of Scotland after the 1745 Rebellion and who foun-ded the OS, established a base line on Hounslow Heath (now Heathrow Airport) and with chain, rods and triangles measured through Greenwich to Dover and the French coast. which led to longitude zero. The Nineteenth century astronomer



Sir George Airey the old transit room to a new one 19 feet to the east. That became the international meridian, which is being marked with new plaques in several spois. accurate to within half a metre. from Sheffield Park station on the Bluebell Line in Sussex, to a line of cedar trees in the Lea Valley, Essex.

All at sea

Oil companies claim that a few metres make the difference between millions of pounds in the North Sea when they site drills and lay pipelines. Knowing exact sites is vital for navigation beacons - as well as for international offshore boundaries. During 10 days in February, Britain, Germany, Norway, Denmark and The Netherlands monitored all satellite recordings in an effort to establish the correct relative positions of platforms in the UK sector of the North Sea.

In position

Two remote Scottish isles, Sule Skerry and Stack Skerry, 50 kilometeres west of the Orkneys. have a true cartographic position at last. They were incorrectly located on last century charts, and not checked again until this spring. Now the National Remote Sensing

A series reporting on research: Cartography

Centre at the Royal Aircrast Latest findings from NASA Establishment believes the isles and, in this country, by the can be accurately mapped to Royal Greenwich Observatory within 50 metres. Dr. Alan at Herstmanceux confirm that Benny, research scientist, used continental drift is dividing four colour satellite images London and New York by one or (which are the main source of continental to undate the remote sensing) to update the old surveys. He employs similar images to confirm movements of shifting sandbanks in the Bristol Channel and Goodwin Sands. "The green colour image penetrates to 20 metres deep; in

Got it taped

Maps are at least nine months out of date - inconvenient for local authorities and utilities (gas boards, water boards) who rely on large acale maps - 50 and 25 inches to the mile. Research by OS found that the vast majority of public and business users expect to have computerized, digital maps by the end of the decade. These will be instantly updatable, as is the case this



year in Birmingham, which is covered by some of the 20,000 OS maps (out of a total of 220,000) which have already been stored on computer. This done by coverting all work into coordinates. which are transferred by digitizing on to electronic tape. So now in Birminham surveyors can spend the morning on the ground, compiling details about urban changes, right down to house numbers. The data is then pencilled on to a plastic master version of a digitized map, and added to the database with an electronic cursor whichdefines new coordinates and stores them. The fresh informationis thus incorporated so that the instantly undated map can be displayed on a screen, or printed out with a computer drive plotter. Eventually all 70 area offices will have the equipment to follow suit.

Laser linework

Fastrack, produced by Laser-Scan Laboratories of Cambridge, can automatically computerize contours at least 15 times faster than they can be hand digitized. Series of lines are formed by linking consecutive points which are given

fixed references. Information leatures and symbols are recorded by press-button. The process works like this: an existing map is photographed to prduce a micro fiche negative which is projected on to a screen. A laser beam follows the linework, But problems have been found in repeating compli-cated junctions where

After the contours are digitized, a mathematical model is computed incorporating the latest aerial photography, tasking height distortions into account Laser-Scan have produced seven systems: three are with the Ministry of Defence, one with OS; the others have been exported.

Cancer study

Computerized cartography is becoming an active tool in analysing conditions from land use to health. A combination of techniques - field survey, acris photography, airborne multi-spectral scanning and satellite imagery have produced 1 to 10,000 scale maps which reveal significant change in he ercentage of pasture that has become arable land in the Norfolk Broads in the past

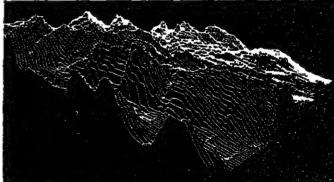
decade, according to the Natural Environment Research Council. Monitoring undertaken relating several sources of information within one database is also being used for an epidemiological study which is relationships examining relationships between chemical trace elements and degenerative diseases such as cancers of the digestive track in North-east Scotland. Details of methods are explained in the NERC's report on current Thematic Information Services which incorporates the Experi-mental Cartography Unit.



Mediterranean sea charts flourished from century with an accuracy un-known on land maps

monks). Research by Tony Campbell of the British Library Map Library, to be published next year in the History of Cartography (Chicago University Press) reveals that the Mediterranean map industry "extraordinarily correct and up to date. The expected corruption of place names that comes with copies, does not occur. Each chart shows successive updatings, with an average of 1500 names, Bilboa appears first in 1339, 39 years after it was founded, and Livorno in 1426 when it became politically significant. The maps were sometimes produced by sailors, whose voyages depended on precision. but we have not unearthed exactly how this was achieved".

Ann Hills



A laser map showing the contours of the mountains

The life-swapping path to happiness

bomes, and more than three per them up.

A typical example is the New Zealand and the Hirsch family from an open-area housing community just outside mother in the Macfarlane family had recently been the readwinner, telecommuting the Tokyo bank for which she worked as an English-language loans officer. The 41-year-old, very house-proud, father had to be educator to the two children, now aged 13 and 15. through the TC, and the father was no longer needed to aid them. Archie Macfarlane was coston-built goods.

were again teleworking. The counsellors. The report was

teenagers were too self-centred and shy. Their outdoor rec-reations (golf, rock-climbing. angling owning racing pigeons) were all too individualistic. The Macfarlane family played regularly in family two-ball foursomes, but in reality these



regularly in a tennis four with men of his own approximate ability. He needed to become more gregarious for a while

by her answers that she would like a period enjoying various facilities not available in their part of New Zealand. For a less tidy house, and the children needed to be encouraged to engage in more borseplay because at present they were too neurotic about not

lanes eventually accepted was inventory to the fact that there with the Hirsch family, who was one small stain on one of lived in an open-plan bousing his carpets while some of the aunity near New Orleans. In these communities, people than carpet. It is also true that open up part of their homes so neither family stayed in its new that others can use and share environment when the 10 special facilities that individual months were up, although, ouscholds could not otherwise

Examples are swimming

pools, tends courts, hobby to New Zealand, but nearer a darkrooms, and lots of pay-TC California. Today both families subscriptions. These open-belong to open-home area clubs.

It is well-known that the Americans find the way we say things quaint so it's only fair that we should find their talk quaint too, especially when it has to be spelt out for them. eliminates undesirable behaviour by visitors, since not only Harry's Bar in Paris, at 5 rue Daunou, used to advertise in the International Herald Tribune that customers should ask the cab-driver to go to "Sank Roo Dough Noo". American menus sometimes tell patrons how to pronounce French dishes; the one I like best is the transliteration "Flaming yarn"

which, believe it or not, is none other than "filet mignon". Again, when I went to New Orleans last year I had no idea until I got there that the city was famous for its pralines. What surprised me even more was that it was possible for the city to rhyme with the sweet. I heard an American woman say to her family: "We ought to buy some orawleans while we're here in What we need is a guide to American pronunciation, And

now at last we have it in the as we live so communally." shape of The Songwitter The children themselves were Rhyming Dictionary by Sammy Cahn, from Souvenir Press. This has been widely reviewed as a rhyming dictionary, and indeed the majority of the words do rhyme, but a great many do not. Not in Britain, that is. The dictionary was first published in America and has been republished here without, as far as I can tell, a word being

The result is that, although it is flawed as a rhyming diction-ary, it is perfect as a guide to the way they say things over there. I did not realize, for instance, that leverage is pronounced differently by Americans until I found it rhymed with beverage. At least, I'm assuming that it's leverage that's given a short initial "e", and not beverage that's pronounced beaverage. Other non-rhyming pairs that educated me into the American way of speech were hooker and snooker. via and Leah. Hughie and buoy, geyser and miser, and

station and ration. American proper names are

moreover .. Miles Kington

like me. It was nice to find Des Moines rhyming with sirloin, as until now I have pronounced it French-style. Haiti rhymes with Chopin thymes with bacon, until I realized that the Americans acutally stress the latter on the third syllable, so that it comes out as Missa Lenny.

But these are all one-offs. It is when you come to the different vowels that you start getting into trouble, and into really two would rhyme (though Reprimand and understand would rhyme better up north see that with an American drawl "dahi" and "shahi" would more cover up.

or less rhyme. The same goes for calm and Tom, ouer and water. Garry and Mary and even quad and lacade, although I'm a little worried about pond and spawned.

The lesson seems to be that where we differentiate between vowels, the Americans often bring them together into a different but identical sound. This doesn't explain, however, the presence of Thomas on two different lists. On one he rhymes with impasse, Madras. en masse and Texas. Does this mean that Cahn thinks Texas rhymes with

Don't get me wrong. Most of the words rhyme perfectly well deep non-rhyming water. Take anywhere between California doll and shawl, for instance. I and Aberdeen. It's just that can't believe there is anywhere when you get one list of rhymes in the British Isles where those containing all the following-Iran, Yvonne, salon, upon, haton, pecan, upon, chisson and Tucson - well, you realize that than down south), or indeed there are differences between alcohol and waterfall, yet I can the UK, and the USA that the best song in the world can't

CONCISE CROSSWORD (No 437)

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Vatican treaty (9)

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In 2022 nearly 10 per cent of enjoyment when playing overhouse areas are often minitored competitively with their parents by TV sensors, which virtually

Germans spent less than three months of the year in their own cent lived in more than six countries during the year, telecommuting from each to their ordinary job. Most people, however, prefer to put down firmer roots than that, and nany now take expert advice on hen to experiment in digging

house swap for 10 months in 2018 between the Macfarlane amily from the South Island of New Orleans. The 38-year-old retired for the period 2012-2018 Usually, both were going straight on to higher education, but would be doing this directly therefore going to return to his old job as a TC salesman for

As this was quite a well-paid job. the Macfarlanes' living standards would rise quite substantially when both parents family therefore arranged for one of the now-fashionable family TC conferences with psychoanalysts and lifestyle

It said the two Macfarlane games now irritated all of them. The children showed greatest

against other families, but they did this only in games via the TC, such as duplicate bridge computer shuffling the cards.

The children would be happier if they lived near children of the same rather bright ability and age as themselves, and in a community where families played each other regularly in active games, such as informal four-person volleyball teams. Mr Macfariane would also be happier if he could play



Mrs Macfarlade had shown stance, she would like to be able to eat out occasionally at French restaurants. In addition, people if they lived for a while in

scratching the furniture. The counsellors suggested a

does the sensor invoice them automatically for any damage. but it can eventually cause their community club status to be downgraded, a more pragmatic penalty than any fine. The Hirsches had reached a stage where both parents and

both children, aged nine and 11, did not fit in with the community club very well. Joe Hirsch was a slightly scatterbrained researcher. He wanted to spend the next few months ordinary TC on a project that could then become ripe for entrepreneurship, but was distracted by the constant noise from his four-a-side volleyball court and splashpool. For he part, Mrs Marjorie Hirsch going to teach our children the virtue of some tidiness so long

threatening to be under-achiev-ers: they needed a period of quiet work through the TC, with their mother as educator. Furthermore, most of the children in their immediate open-home area were slightly older than they, and the young Hirsches were not always welcome in the team games. They might recover their self-confidence in more isolationist pursuits for a while,

There were some difficulties house swap of at least 10 over the swap. Mr Macfariane months. The swap the Macfar- drew attention on the video Hirches' seemed more stain significantly, each moved to a lifestyle between old and new. The Macfarlanes came back

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WEDNESDAY PAGE

Even seaweed can

of the immensely successful A Taste Of ... series of cook books; is the first of this summer's four guest columnists all of whom have new books out soon. Irish Traditional Food will be published by Pan on Friday, September 7, price £2.50.

spend hours making elaborate puddings and cakes for the delectation of themselves and

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Honey, especially the lovely heather honey, is also used with all kinds of fruit and with eggs.

and liqueurs are used as flavouring and excellent they are, not only in puddings but also in some cakes.

Many of these old traditional

dishes I have gathered together and used in my new book, from

an old-fashioned pudding which was originally made with black raspberries, a very dark-red variety hardly ever seen these days except in some gardens. Nowadays it is usually made, either with blackcurrants or

Blackcap pudding Serves four to six

Squeeze of lemon luice

85g (3oz) flour

2 large eggs, beaten

Butter a one-litre (two pint) basin. Put the topped and tailed

sugar and mix well. Make a well

eggs and mix. Finally add the milk gradu-ally and beat well. Leave to Serve with whipped cream.

Pear sponge pudding - in list it is, Clare spaints le piorrai, it is, a cap light calce like pudding which is because under the product of the pudding which is because under the piorrai is and thely grated find of the pudding which is because under the product of the pudding which is because under the product of the pudding which is the pudding which is the pudding of the product of the produc be used without the juice, but will not give such a fresh

Pear sponga pudding Serves four to slk

110g (4oz) sogar

Whipped cream to decorate

in the sliced pears.

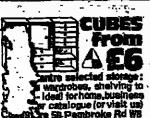
Line a 71/2 in (20cm) cake tin, hot oven at (375°F/190°C, gas 5) for 30-40 minutes or until a whipped cream.

flavoured with horbs and sweetened with honey. It is available in most off-licences.

800ml (1 pint) milk, heated

2 heaped tablespoons caster sugar 2 tablespoons whipped cream

Put the warm mile and gelatine into the top of a double boiler over hot water Beat the thickens. On no account let it boil. Beat the egg whites stiffly. When the mixture is cool, fold in the whipped gream, then the



be sweet in Ireland

Theodora FitzGibbon, cookery editor of the Irish Times and author

Most Irish people have a very sweeth tooth and will cheerfully their families.

Many puddings were of the boiled variety which simmered over the fire and were a deliciously warming meal in the hard days of winter. However, there are many lighter sweet dishes, some made with the vitamin-giving carrageen which is in fact a seaweed, but when well treated sets in a light jelly. Irish drinks such as Guinness

which this is a selection.

Blackcap pudding which in Irish is Marog sutha dubha, is

1/2 tablespoon butter

Abour 110g (4oz) blackcurrants or blackberries

2 rounded tablespoons sugar, or to

140g (5oz) fresh breadcrumbs

300ml (½ pint) milk

blackcurrants or picked-over blackbernes in a small saucepan with the lemon juice and half the sugar, then cook gently for about five minutes. Pour into the pudding basin.

Sift the flour into a bowl add whites until still and then fold the breadcrumbs, the remaining in the middle, add the beaten

stand for about 15 minutes. Pour this over the fruit, cover and tie down, then steam over boiling water for 2.24 hours. on to a warmed dish so that the. "black cap" covers the pudding.

110g (462) butter

2 eggs 450g (1lb) ripé peacs 110g (40z) situatisell-talking flour

Cream the butter and sugar until light, then add the eggs, one at a time, beating each one in well. Peel, core and since the pears just before folding in the sifted flour to the butter mixture (If left too long the will discolour unless sprinkled with lemon juice). Stir

preferably one with a removable bottom. Spoon in the mixture. Bake in a preheated moderately skewer inserted comes out clean. Lift out and transfer to a serving dish and decorate with

Irish Mist cream - Uachtar Irish Mist - is like a cold souffle and delicious. Irish Mist a whiskey-based liqueur

1 tablespoon powdered gelatine

4 eggs, separated 2 tablespoons trish Mist

egg yolks and add them with the sugar. Whisk until the mixture eng whites and finally the Irish Mist. Wet a mould, and tie a 3in (7.5cm) collar of paper around. Pour in the mixture and chill until set. ...

GUEST COOK



Theodora FitzGibbon

is a very old dish which needs to be made the same day as it is be caten. If not use 2 leaspoons cornflour with the away from the wild honey taste. If it is left longer, all that will happen is that a little honey will collect at the bottom of the

Honey mousse

450g (1tb) clear honey 4 eggs, separated

To make this for more people, add 1 egg per person and 4oz (100g) honey. If the honey is "set", that is thick, warm it up first to liquefy, but

Separate the eggs and beat them well with the honey. Put this into either a basin over a saucepan of hot water or use a double boiler. Keep surring all the time until the mixture thickens like custard. Take off

the heat and cool. Meanwhile, whisk the egg the yolks into the yolk and honey mixture. Pour into individual glasses, chill and serve the same day.

.Honey and lemon carrageen cream - Uachar meala is llomoide. This is delightful and do try it. The carrageen aiready prepared for use can be bought

Honey and lemon carrageon

Serves four to six 1/2 cup (120 ml/4 fl oz volume measure) tightly packed carrageen

Juice and finely grated rind of 1 1 egg white, stiffly beaten

150 mi (1/4 pint) double cream,

Soak the carrageen in hot water to cover for about 10 minutes, then drain, discarding the liquid Put it into I pint (600mL) fresh cold water with the lioney, lemon juice and grated rind. Bring to the boil and summer for 25-30 minutes. Strain and discard the carrageen

and lemon rind, Cool.

Meanwhile combine the stiffly beaten egg white and the whipped cream, then gently fold into the carrageen liquid. Pour into a wetted mould, or individual cups and chill to set."

Carrot and raisin cake - Ciste risini agus meacan - is a spicy country cake which also makes a good sweet dish, especially spread with cream cheese.

Carrot and raisin cake

170 g (6 ozs) wholemeal flour, or a modure, half and half with white 2 teaspoons baking powder

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon Pinch of mace 2 rounded tablespoons seedless

A pinch of salt

110 g (4 ozs) grated carrot. Grated rind of half an orange 2 tablespoons orange juice

110 g (4 oz) butter 140 g (5 oz) brown sugar

First prepare a 1 lb. (450g.) loaf tur by greasing it and lining the bottom with a piece of greaseproof paper. Preheat the oven to moderate (180°/350°F. gas mark 4). Sift the flour(s) with the baking powder, cinnamon, and mace, then reserve.

Mix the raisins, grated carrot, orange rind and juice. In another bowl cream the butter and sugar and when light, add the beaten eggs, a little at a time, using a wooden spoon. Finally combine with the

flour and carrot mixture and mix together very well. Put into the prepared tin and bake in the centre of the oven for 40-60 minutes. After removing from the oven leave in the tin for 15 minutes to cool before turning it out on to a wire rack. This is a good moist cake and

cream cheese, or a mixture with cottage cheese: alternately, you can slice the cake in half and spread the cheese inside. confusing, frustrating and chaothought, to suffer from stress tic, but what would I do without and over-work. Looking back I The Times Cook, Shona Craw-ford Poole, will be back on October 3. it. Death must be terribly now recognize what Professor boring - especially on Saturday Nixon calls the danger signs: a

Laurie Taylor, right, discovers Caroline Blackwood's bond with the anti-cruise protesters

Symbolic strength of the women of peace without power



a report alleging that Carolime Blackwood had been "shocked and appalled," indeed, "had never seen something so unpleasant" as a busioad of Greenham airmen who had pulled down their trousers and displayed their buttocks to the women displayed their buttocks to the women protesting outside the gates. Levin's feigned ourrage at this insult to Ms Blackwood, his ironic rush to her defence, had been nicely helped along by the lady's aristocratic lineage: " nobly-born lady, no less than the sister of the Marquess of Dufferin, and not only of Dufferin, but of Ava to boot, was mortally insulted at Greenham Common.'

I dropped any idea of quickly clearing the air when I sensed her nervousness about the interview. Even before reaching her upstairs flat we'd had a slightly embarrassing contretemps about who should carry up the coffee from the lower floor, and by time we were seated her anxiety had so infected me that I was able to manage nothing more personal than: "How did you start writing?"

"As a journalist, I worked for Encounter when Stephen Spender was the editor. I wrote a piece on the Beatniks. That was ray first piece." i quoted her dismissive epitaph on the movement "No one in the future, when filling in an official form, will

ever be made to swear they have never been a a Beamik". That sounds very accomplished for a first piece. Had you been practising secretly?

"No. I always knew I was a writer, But I hadn't got any proof of it. Sounds rather stupid. I suppose, But I always knew that when I was older I would write. But I didn't put things in drawers as some writers do. I just started when I started."

I wondered if her brittle staccato style was prompted more by aristocratic disdain than nervousness But there was no doubt that she was still sitting quite precariously on the edge of her chair.

And you still do journalism "Yes because it brings in more material for fiction. Because otherwise I would just sit in my house and know about the children and the

people who come to the house." Although her three children still lived with her in Redcliffe Square, she made her life sound more settled and domestic than her biography allowed. She had been married three times - to painter Lucien Freud, Israel Citzovitz the musician, and finally to poet Robert Lowell, who after a romance and marriage punctuated by bouts of madness, left her a widow in 1977. It all sounded tempestuous enough to provide material for a dozen novels.



"And it was a commission for an article which took you out to

"Yes. But once I got there, I found the material was too long for an article." Perhaps her previous writing. which so often focused on single characters in extremis, and on domestic Isolation, hardly prepared the reader for her present book. Was she an active feminist?

No. I'm a sympathizer. Like all women have to be sympathizers."

She is not involved in the nuclear disarmament movement, but was impressed strongly by Greenham. Her book is very sympathetic. "Yes. I hadn't taken it in. When

you hear they're camping you somehow get an image of Boy Scout camps, and that doesn't sound so bad does it? I couldn't believe that pile of refuse was the camp."
"You tried living there yourself?"

(It was not easy to imagine this tall refined lady at ease under a polythene sheet in the Berkshire woods.)

I stayed a few nights. But I couldn't manage. There is really the most extraordinary fortitude. Those nights. Not getting to sleep at all. To wake up to another day of freezing discomfort and evictions."

Certainly, On the Perimeter is a remarkably moving account of the hardships, insults and monotony endured by the Greenham women, but it is also strangely light on argument. We hear little or nothing from the author or her subjects about the capacity of cruise missiles, the likelihood of their use as first-strike weapons. their possible place in disarmament negotiations.

"I deliberately decided not to. Those books about the bomb - the megaton books I call them - you can hardly read them. The whole thing becomes so dehumanized. But wasn't that playing into the hands of those who write off the Greenham protest as a purely emotional

"Of course it's an emotional position. But it's one shared by a lot of women. It's just the terrible fear that there could be an accident. It's of an accident is what women deal with all day long: the child nearly having an accident. Women are more preoccupied by that. The actual job of bringing up a small child is one long

'I can understand people thinking it's misguided", she admitted, finding a mislaid coffee por. "that it's a rather uscless thing, that it doesn't change a thing. But perhaps women can only do things symbolically. People with no power have to do it symbolically". At Greenham she was certainly

fascinated by the juxtaposition of the military and the idealistic women, and the irate members of RAGE (Ratepayers against Greenham Encampments)?

There was always something



A piper plays at the peace protesters' camp

there was going to be an enormous Freud called 'The Sisters'. My sister and me. Look." She went over to the mantelpiece and came back with a bin by 8in gold-framed picture of a human eye. "And this is it. I mean that's as far as it got. It didn't even get its eyelash", she said, laughing

delightedly. With Lucien Freud and Robert Lowell you seem to have had quite a 'tumultuous' life. How did you manage your own work within such relationships?

weird going on. It's a microcosm of

English society. Last time I went

down the most extraordinary group

lurned up at Main Gate - about 20

English Hassidic rabbis who'd arrived

to pay homage to the missile. They

said it was because of their relations

Over the mantelpiece in the large

and uncluttered room hung the

picture which had been reproduced in

Levin's column: Lady Caroline as

depicted in Lucien Freud's "Girl in

"Don't you feel a little inhibited by that?" I asked, "as you grow older,

I wouldn't put it up. Anyway, I think your beauty - any beauty you might

have - is fraudulent, Nothing to do

and poetry."

"I minded the boredom of posing for Lucien," She was beginning to laugh again. "The boredom was morse than

unbearable. It was worse than Greenham. The missile will never

move and the picture will never be

finished. In fact when we broke up

Had she ever felt patronized by all these male artists choosing her as the "beautiful" object of their paintings

"No. I don't see it as me. Otherwise

and, well, less obviously beautiful?"

Bed" She saw my look,

in Russia.'

They didn't stop me. I didn't feel at all oppressed by any of them. Lowell endlessly encouraged me. I wrote two novels with him. Or maybe three. If he were still alive he wouldn't be stopping me. He didn't mind if the children rushed in and out.. He wrote under the most hideous conditions. That was not in Hamilton's book (Ian Hamilton, Robert Lewell, Faber and Faber, 1982). He missed that out. He missed out how very nice he was."

"You don't think Hamilton's book was fair to Lowell or you?"

"No. I think when somebody dies at the moment there's a trend to immediately write a book saying they were a monster, it's almost the automatic book." "Do you ever want to retaliate."

"I did to Bernard Levin". We'd arrived. I grasped the nettle. "What annoyed you mostly? His olication that degree of outrage about the situation at Greenham you didn't feel?"

"No. Most of all I minded that senjence: "The sister of the Marquess of Dufferin and not only of Dufferin, but of Ava to boot.". Because it used your title to undermine your message "Oh no. I only hated the 'to boot'. Don't you see? It's stylistically so

annoying. Heavy, like dough. Such an irritating expression. You Know?" I managed a final vigorous nod. On The Perimeter is published on

and Flamingo at £1.95.

September 10 by Heinemann at £5.95

MEL CALMAN'S

Im HEARTILY SICK of all this Health Talk.

Finally I've joined those boring fitness fanatics

AFFAIRS OF THE HEART

The story so far: Mel, a middleaged cartoonist ments a young doctor who tells him he has had a minor heart attack and must reduce his weight, his worries and his cholesterol level. Five months later, Mel has lost seven pounds and can walk to the haftroom without getting out of

Today I looked at myself in the bathroom mirror and wondered who that slim man was standing there. I will not say he looked like Robert Redford but at least he no longer looked like Robert Morley's understudy. Some summy days when I am walking along, feeling lighter, (after all, I am no longer

carrying that large parcel of fat around) I must coafess I do feel petter. I never thought I'd ever relish feeling healthier.
All my life I have carefully despised people who wanted to be fit. At school the most boring boys were the FIT ones. All my best friends were the milit ones - the ones you knew were secrefly sapping their strength. (At least I hoped they were

one doing it).

I confess I do feel slightly operior and virtuous as I wave the sugar away and say NO to the pudding trolley, although I still look at it wistfully. The ional treats now seem so wicked and twice as enjoyable as they used to be. The flavour of sin has been added to ice-

since I didn't want to be the only

. The major difference between my present regime and any past attempts to reduce weight is that keeps well in a tin. If liked the top can be spread with mashed cream cheese, or a mixture with ably said, concentrates the diet wonderfully. wonderfully.

I mean, life is difficult, cartoonists. I was far too lazy, 1

nights. And apart from my cycle of fatigue and a consefamily and friends, I'd miss all Dieset cultura.

I would also miss looking at women. Thank God there is no cholesterol in women. At least he got something right (What he was doing putting cholesterol into ice-cream and chocolate, I'll never know. He should have put into something boring like

I recently re-read some wise words by Professor Nixon, who knows a thing or two about hearts, in a book called The BMA Book of Executive Health. Ironically enough, I read the book some five years ago because I had to illustrate it. Needless to say, I ignored the message of the words. I did not think they applied to me.
All that stuff about fatigue,

tion, diet, relaxation and

quent need to do more to prove to yourself that you can cope It is a bit like driving through

a red light - if you don't hit

anything you are tempted to go on doing it. Other people have accidents, not you. Other people have heart attacks, not me. So I have discovered that I am incredibly mortal. I am not protected by some special magic. My arteries are not designed to be abused. For all I know, they are not designed at

all - just sort of lie there, all

tangled up.
What I am having (very

reluctantly) to come to terms with is that I am a body as well as a mind. I have to listen to, and respect my body, or else it will sabotage me. It is no use having some intelligence (what intelligence, you ask?) if I am not going to use it to try to live sensibly. Half a roll is better than none at all, I suppose. Even if the half a roll is spread with polyunsaturated margarine in-

PERSON

Ludmila, the critic with a crisis

They came from all over the world - Russia, delegates were experienced Poland, Romania, Brazil, Fringe hands. The East German critics from a variety of different newspapers and maga-zines assembled for the first seminar of the International Association of Theatre Critics to be held in Britain, under the sponsorship of the British

On that first Sunday night, they statred blanky at the Fringe programme in search of guidance. The Fringe is one of the most confusing theatre events to be confronted with. What drink. they had to do, we explained, was to pick for themselves what they wanted to see and compare notes afterwards.

It was clear that the Eastern block, used to timetables from which there could be no deviation, found this galaxy of marginal theatre overwhelming. By the time the Traverse theatre had given them a reception, I had been appointed general ticket agent.

"Take me to your Leader", said Ludmila, the Romanian delegate, standing four-square in front of the Traverse's press officer. This, we gathered, meant their artistic director. Peter Lichtenfels. She wanted an inteview with Susannah York before her one-woman show of La Voix Humaine. This would not be possible, she was told,

"All right, then, after the show." There was no arguing with her, rooted there immov ably. Ludmilla was determined to interview everyone in Edin burgh, and she very nearly did. During the week, apart from a spat between the French delegate and the Russian over the South African political play, Black Dog, there were no international confrontations.

into the early hours.

By the fourth day, the questions you must answer," seau and the Americans homed in on The Hite Report. Ludmila. who was writing a book on Samuel Beckett, took in all his shows, and was whisked off to dinner by a select band of Beckett groupies, including the

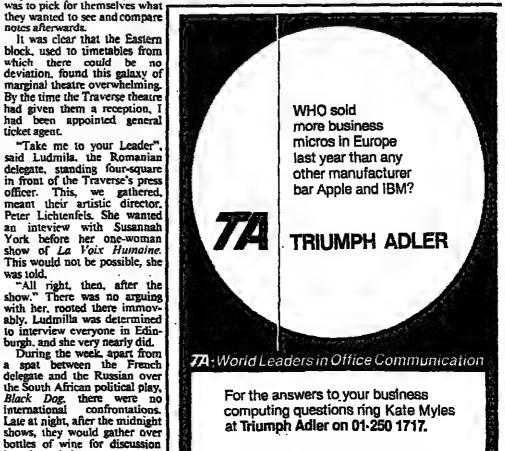
publisher John Calder. So it came to the last midnight show and early hours talk session. The delegates, who had been diverging in various directions, assembled for a final

"Mrs Clare, I have some as published.

written sheet. I am puzzling Canada, the United had located productions of States - for the Edin-burgh Festival Eighteen young Gorki, the French their Rous-critics from actor, playwright and would you please to try presenting a panorama of today in theatre in your country?" A good question. Ludmila, but I am beginning

> Correction The author of Friday's First Person article on noisy dustcarts was Vincent Brome, not Vincent Brown,

Clare Colvin



to 2.5 per cent rise in prices.

The largest increase in unemploy-

ment and wages bills will be felt in

those industries employing large numbers of low-paid - often women - workers. Thus women's wages

overall will rise by over 14 per cent,

and by much greater amounts in a few industries. Likewise, price increases will be concentrated in

low-paid, labour-intensive indus-

argument for scrapping a minimum wage strategy. Large numbers of

workers still earn appallingly low pay, 240,000, for example, earned less than the government poverty

less than the government poverty line in 1982 and these wage earners were responsible for 680,000 people, many of them children. These

hazards illustrate that any minimum

wage strategy must be seen as part of

These potential dangers are not an



THE TIMES **DIARY**

Rubbing shoulders

The Queen recently dispensed with the services of the Royal Medical Household, and sought the treatclinic in the Marylebone Road in London. The Queen, who had severely strained her shoulder by chopping logs at Balmoral, visited "pain therapist" Kay Kiernan of the "Bluestone Clinic" on the recommedation of Princess Margaret, Indeed the princess is such a regular there that one wall is adorned with a signed photograph of her: "For Kay - Margaret." The Queen's injury was cured with two 90-minute sessions on a "Pulsed Electro-Magnetic Energy" machine.

Miss Kiernan does not know when the Queen will drop in next

when the Queen will drop in next. The Royal patronage is revealed in the first By Appointment book -The Royal Shopping Guide by Nina Grunfeld, out from Pan next month.

Bananas

From now on firms on an NUM blacklist of strike-breakers, passed to Glasgow District Council, will be with the council. Opposition coun-cillors, who are to investigate the ban's legality, say the move could lead to lay-offs in several local haulage firms. The good councillors' struggle for ideological purity goes further: it wants Glasgow market traders, who lease council stalls, to sign new contracts preventing the sale of South African fruit, Cruisin'

Labour's left does not need to work at splitting the right. Last night Roy Hattersley and Peter Shore held separate TUC conference meetings. One started at 5.15, the other at 5.30.

Another tune

The New Statesman may be dull. but never predictable. Reporting on the Edinburgh Festival this week, Angus Calder says of the Scottish Opera's performance of *Orian*: "...it's well sung, the sets and staging are delightful and it's full of laughs. A pity there were so many empty seats." His colleague Andrew Clements certainly seems to have filled one: for on the same page, he says of *Orion*: "It proved to be a bore from beginning to end, without a note of memorable music..."

Post haste

As a local author with a new novel about to be published, Don Bannis-ter seemed the ideal candidate to address the be-hatted ladies at the Yorkshire Post's literary dinner next week. Just as Bannister was smacking his lips, the paper rang, After "looking through" his book, The Summer Boy. his invitation was off. It was the sex and language used in the book, said the Yorkshire Post. The fact that the womanizing hero in the tale of "young manhood in a iorthern town "was a journalist had I am sure, no bearing on their

Lock-in

Those moderate union men left at Brighton will be checking anxiously that Roy Grantham, leader of the elerical workers' union. Apex, is safely in the hall to add his voice. I am told that in April, as Apex moved leftward at its Scarborough conference, the bolt on the door of Grantham's lavatory did not. The afternoon's debate rambled on with Grantham left jammed in

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There's a rumour he's offering them a million pounds each to go back

Modest sum

Readable though it is, no one has compared Jeffrey Archer's novel First Among Equals with the works of Evelyn Waugh or Paul Scott. No one except Archer, that is, Boasting of selling the novel's television rights to Granada for £1m, he recently confided: "But I won't be too interested in the money if they can give me a production like Brideshead Revisited or the Raj Quartet."

Close friends

"Hitler would have been proud of you lot", electricians' leader-elect Eric Hammond shouted at delegates who barracked him on Monday for his denunciation of the TUC line on the miners' strike. He is less forthright about the four "beavies" who now shadow his every step in Brighton, "It's a rough business". says. "We want to avoid incidents and it's easier to have people to guide you away." The four protest: We're just friends." No one calls them bodyguards, but with enemies like his, Hammond may need friends like them.

A minimum wage is not enough by Frank Field

household.

Poor old Eleanor Rathbone. Not only has her portrait been absentmindedly hung in the sports section of the National Portrait Gallery, but the idea she campaigned for all herlife looks like being overrun.

Born to a prosperous merchant

family, she spent practically all her

energy winning the introduction of family allowances (now child bene-fits) in order to combat the appalling child poverty she had seen at first hand in Merseyside, Her campaign was also aimed at ensuring that the support of workers' children did not become part of wage negotiations and, for good measure, guaranteeing regular weekly income to mothers. Now all the talk is of scrapping child benefits and of a campaign for a national minimum wage which assumes all workers have two children. If the redoubtable fighter could step off the National Portrait Gallery's wall and journey to Brighton, what would she have to

say to the trade unionists due to debate the minimum wage at the Trades Union Congress today? Until now, most campaigners have lobbied for a wage at twothirds average earnings, or around £100 a week, It has been set at this level to ensure that a family with two children has an income above the government-defined poverty line. But this approach will not abolish family poverty, and it will have considerable economic conseDemands for a minimum wage calculated on the needs of a husband, wife and two children are all too reminiscent of the campaign for a "family wage". This assumed that men did the work and that women stayed at home, or that if they had earnings, they were of little importance to the woman or the

To counter this Eleanor Rathbone had campaigned for a minimum wage calculated on the needs of a two-adult household, reflecting a feminist insistence that the needs of children should be met not from the wage system, but from the nation as whole in the form of family allowance payments. This approach makes a dramatic difference to the level of a minimum wage. The feminist argument for a

statutory minimum wage with children's needs separately:covered by social security payments brings a minimum wage nearer political reality. It is also an approach suggested by the TUC itself in a recent publication on low pay. Without any changes in child benefit payments the minimum wage demand is £100 a week at 1982

prices, and therefore much higher now. With children's needs covered by child benefit the minimum wage demand falls to £75 per week,

and training initiatives

These accompanying measures are also essential if the minimum are also essential if the minimum wage was introduced along with major increases in child benefit. But this wage and benefit approach has the advantage of reducing the negative impact on the economy – both in terms of employment and prices. A minimum wages wage has the drawback that it increases employers' costs. If implemented without a programme of compensatory measures, it will lead to significant increases in unemployment and a big jump in the rate of inflation. I calculate that the higher prices. A minimum wage ac-companied by a major increase in minimum wage target could result in a loss of more than 400,000 women's jobs. a 4.4 per cent rise in child benefit will abolish the worst aspects of child poverty as we know it today, while bringing about a major transfer of income to all the total wage bill together with a 2

> Around 800,000 women in fulltime work would gain pay increases, as would many part-time workers, and this dual approach would ensure that all women with children gain a major increase in their guaranteed eekly income.

Most current campaigns have confused the need for a weapon to eliminate family poverty with one which ensures that all workers receive a decent income to reflect their value and dignity as workers. Accepting the feminist argument helps to make this distinction clear, and helps to protect the position of women workers, while leaving it clear to begin a second round in the campaign for a higher minimum

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a total package of economic regeneration, introducted over a reasonable period of time, and The higher statutory minimum Birkenhcad.

White House in November. Sidney Blumenthal traces his rise through the Democratic ranks

Walter Mondale's "micropolitics" have brought him a long way but may stop him reaching the





Links in the Democratic chain: Hubert Humphrey with then President Carter and favourite son Mondale; In full swing as vice president

Minneapolis The masked On the eve of the Democratic convention Walter Mondale re-visited his childhood home, Elmore, Minnesota, population 882. He had left as a poor preacher's kid; he returned in glory, accompanied by the submachine gun toting secret service, a travelling carnival of reporters, and a radiant Geraldine Ferraro. Yet he insists he has remained the same, someone whose past is plainly displayed in the present. What you see is what you get", he has informed rallies across

the country. But what do you see? A mostly inexpressive man in a grey suit, whose closest friends in the Senate had to learn the most elementary details of his personal life, such as paper stories. What do you get? A man who has climbed from obscurity to international fame, from a tiny village to the head of the largest political party on earth. from nowhere to everywhere. What you get, therefore, is more than what you

The qualities that have put him in public office and sustained him there are qualities that are largely invisible to the public. His flaring ambition and his extraordinary tactical shrewdness have been shielded from view. Mondale often seems to be wearing a mask. But his very inexpressiveness is a clue to the political culture that has made him. That culture explains much of what enabled him to become the Democratic candidate. Equally, it suggests what he lacks - what he must find elsewhere, or fail.

A man of shrewdness and flaring ambition

In Minnesota the ultimate goal of politics is the achievement of an unspoken consensus. This constant quest derives mainly from religious and ethnic sources. The dominant religion is Lutheranism, which stresses ritual, authority, and social obligation. And most people are Scandinavian, like Mondale, who finds the poetry of life fishing in the silence of the north woods. The work ethic is deeply ingrained. If one works hard and adheres to the rules, success naturally follows. Good intentions are regarded nearly as highly as results. Trust is taken for granted.
Virtually everyone believes that

the helping hand of fellowship must stay the harsh, invisible hand of the market. This implicit belief can be seen in the unexampled philanthropy of Minneapolis business men, who give more to charity and the arts than any comparable group in the nation. And it is apparent in the assumption shared by both political parties that government must do things that individuals acting alone cannot. The Democrats and the Republicans (who are more liberal than many Democrats elsewhere, and don't even call themselves Republicans, but Independent Republicans) rarely debate first principles. The argument is over how, not whether, government should serve. The parties debate means, not ends; issues, not

ideology, The party that fostered Mondale began as a movement. Early in the century, across the plains of the upper Midwest, embittered farmers organized the Nonpartisan League to counter the grain elevator operators and railroad barons who ruled their fates even more capriciously than the weather. The league sought public ownership of the PHS elevators and flour mills, and to

man from Minnesota

attain that goal it endorsed political

By 1930 the Farmer-Labor party, galvanized by the Depression, came to power in Minnesota. Its platform scourged capitalism and called for the creation of a "cooperative "cooperative commonwealth", lts champion, Floyd Olson ("I am not a liberal, I am a radical"), was elected gover-

In 1936 Olson unexpectedly died, and the Republicans moved into the resulting vacuum. In 1938 Harold Stassen, the "boy wonder" founder of the modern Republican Party in the state, swept to the governorship at the age of 31. He was for "good government", replacing most of the patronage system with a civil service. Most important, he accepted the New Deal; and he implemented his own social welfare. mental health, and environmental programmes. The F.L. and the Democrats merged in 1944, becoming the Democratic Farmer Labor

The broker of the marriage between the F.L. and the Democrats was a young political science instructor at the University of Minnesota, Hubert Humphrey, He infused the D.F.L. with his energy, buoyancy, and commitment.

Few politicians in the D.F.L. tradition have manoeuvered as skilfully as Walter Mondale. He has advanced his career by a series of adroit tactical adjustments. Within the state he has been viewed as someone never quite possessed of his own persona, the protege of one elder or another. Yet his appointments to a succession of offices were not gifts, but the result of energetic campaigns - campaigns, however, that were conducted out of public view. Mondale never presented himself to the Minnesota electorate as anything less than the incumbent. He has thrived by leaving as little as possible to chance. Mondale entered the D.F.L. at a

critical juncture. Anti-Communist and Popular Fronters were locked in a fierce civil war - the national Democratic scene writ small. The turnultuous internecine

conflict over a great principle mostly turned on tactics such as packing caucuses. Young Mondale became a leader of the student auxiliary. His first political success, in fact, was achieved by importing patronage workers to a caucus to win control of a county Young D.F.L. group.

Working as a field organizer in Humphrey's 1948 Senate campaign, Mondale acquired a reputation as an effective technician. He went to law schools and joined Freeman and Fraser's firm. He was the bright young man - the safe new generation of leadership. Upon becoming Minnesota's attorney general. Mondale told a friend: "i'm never going to smile in public". He felt that no emotion was the most convincing expression. Mondale wanted a Senate seat.

The only opinion that mattered was that of the governor - stolid Karl Rolvaag, son of Ole Rolvaag, author of Giants in the Earth, the epic novel Scandivian immigration to the New World. Mondale happened to be one of Rolvaag's closest allies. The attorney general had a larger staff than the governor, and Mondale had put it at Rolvaag's daily disposal. Unfortunately, Rolvang suffered from alcoholism. In June 1964, on a fishing expedition with Mondale, he had smashed up a motorboat while drinking. Mondale helped the governor back to the cabin; but he didn't report the accident to the police. Rolvage owed Mondale for his tactful handling of the affair. Mondale was appointed by Rolvage to the Senate seat.

To gain the support of the party establishment and at the same time iry to appeal to the new generation, Humphrey appointed as co-chairman at his 1968 presidential campaign two youthful Senators: Fred Harris of Oklahoma, and Walter Mondale. Humphrey's style and Mondale's clashed. Mondale was always prepared and concise, whereas Humphrey was disorganized and effusive.

"It was the new politics versus the old". Harris recalls. "Mondale and I more in tune with the new." The battle between the campaign



Mondale with his own running mate: Labor Day in New York

factions was most intensely Joined over the Vietnam issue. Mondale and Harris urged Humphrey to break with Lyndon Johnson on the war. Humphrey prepared a major speech calling for an unconditional bombing halt, which he showed his managers. "Don't change a word", Mondale advised. Humphrey agreed. Then, as he left the vice president's splendid office. Mondale stopped in the doorway. "Do you have to clear a speech like that with Johnson?" he asked. "Oh. no", said Humphrey. "This is a speech I'll give as a candidate. But as a courtesy I'll tell the president." The speech

For Mondale, the gruelling Humphrey campaign had clear lessons. He did not want to repeat the mistakes the tender-hearted and weak founding father had made. 'Mondale worries about a person being too open like Humphrey", says Harris. "If he shows his emotions, he feels it might get him in trouble."

He found every fissure in Hart ... and broke him

When Jimmy Carter named Mondale as his running mate in 1976, Humphrey was elated. Mondale got the job not by impressing Carter as a pale Humphrey, but as someone much more like Carter. Cool, calm, and dry, he prepared carefully, as usual, for his interview in Plains, even noting the similar points in his and Carter's books Mondale combined Humphrey's constituencies and Carter's managerialism. Carter became the last in a long line of political leaders to discover in Mondale precisely the qualities he needed. Throughout this year's campaign

there have been cerie echoes. Humphrey had to disentangle himself from Johnson; Mondale from Carter. Humphrey had to prevail over McCarthy, who appealed to the young, independent, and moderate Republicans, like Gary Hart. Mondale stopped Hart's momentum just as the Kennedys stopped Humphrey's and McCar-thy's. Hart claimed the Kennedy image, but Mondale, with old Bobby Kennedy operative John Reilly clos at hand, claimed the ruthless tactics Mondale found every fissure in Hart and relentlessly broke him apart. Once again, Mondale's tactical talent was proved. Now Mondale's micropolitics

confront Reagan's macropolitics. In contest Mondale's experience and background are insufficient for victory. American politics is not Minnesota's writ large. The presidential political culture more nearly resembles that of California, when candidates, even for assembly races, are sustained by images and ideology. No politician there trusts his fate to party.

Mondale, the Minnesotan, never had to struggle to establish his political philosophy. Reagan, the Californian, is a founding father in his own right. He is the foremost leader of a conservative movement that has been transformed from a sect into a ruling elite. He has undergone a personal change from a leftist into a rightist, and therefore operates on a politically self conscious and explicit level. He always casts his position in terms of first principles, while Mondale discusses discrete policies. Reagan's free-floating politics match his economic vision of an America without rules. Mondale, for his part, still assumes the centrality of the consensus Reagan has shattered.

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Protect, and we may not survive

The masked ball has ended. The true features of contemporary trade unionism are clear to see. Comradeship, compassion, craftsmanship and fraternity have, for many years now, been but the crudely painted mouthings on the mask. No doubt the mask will be tried on half-heartedly for Brighton's ritual moments but it will convince few even among union activists. They hardly bother with disguises any longer. The face of trades unionism is blatant sectional interest.

Their interest is advanced at the expense of the taxpayer-consumer forced to subsidize and then buy unnecessarily costly coal or travel so unnecessarily costly coal or travet so that the members of the NUM, Aslef and the NUR shall not be inconvenienced. It is advanced regardless of fellow workers jobs in the steel industry or road haulage. It is advanced with no genuine concern for the weaker members of the community who suffer when essential services are disrupted. It is advanced in contempt of the rule of advanced in contempt of the rule of law and the mandate of democrati-cally elected governments.

It is not the nature of trade unions that is to blame, Their ugliness has a deeper origin - a society in which sectional interests have been overindulged and placated with privileges, in the unions' case with legal immunities. Any government con-templating the smallest reform of benefit to its people delays and dilutes it to buy the favours of sectional interests; the Confederation of British Industry, equal rights lobbyists, the subsidized ranks of the National Farmers Union, the Civil Service, the British Medical Association, solicitors protecting their conveyancing monopoly, teachers resisting parental choice of schools as well as the more obvious NUWPE, Nalgo and the NGA.

In such a society those who consume and pay for "public services". Wnd privately produced, but government-regulated, goods are disenfranchised by powerful pro-ducer interests. Industry passes on the costs of demarcation, professional exclusivism and overmanning to the consumer.

Nor do sectional interests act merely individually against the consumer. There is mounting evidence that, in the words of Samuel Brittan of the Financial Times "Stable societies . . . tend to accumulate collusive organizations and interest groups over time, and, thus, tend to lag behind in their growth rates and capacity to adapt, in comparison to newer and more dynamic societies".

At Brighton the trades unionists differ over the methods for conspiring against the public interest. One hundred and seventy miles away at Cambridge a conference of economists and other intellectuals discusses

how to reduce the power of sectional interests, whether advanced by legal or illegal muscle, how to restore everyman, the consumer, as sover, eign. The Mont Pelerin Society, founded in 1947 by Hayek and Friedman, both of whom are at the Cambridge meeting has members worldwide who have played a significant part in the rehabilitation of economic liberalism in contemporary debate. Both Thatcher and Reagan administrations have drawn

on their research.

Cambridge now offers two main strategies for cutting Brighton down to size. The first associated with Hayek's thinking would cheek the discretionary power of politicians to appease sectional interests by introducing constitutional arrangements prohibiting arbitrary legislation and restricting laws to embodying "general rules of just conduct". Other economists argue for specific constitutional limits on total govern-ment spending and deficits; yet others for the wider use of referenda on citizens' initiatives.

The second strategy is proposed for governments, such as that of Mrs Thatcher, avowedly inclined to a list of significant reforms but frustrated in each item by different coalitions of sectional interests. Friedman of sectional interests. Friedman argues that lobbying has reached such proportions that even the lobbyists would benefit from reduced lobbying, a general economic disarmament. Reforming governments can proceed by packaging their reduction of privileges for reductions of privileges for restricted interests so that those who sectional interests so that those who lose privileges lose as many if not

more disadvantages.

R.A. Butler suggested something similar. Faced with taming the conflicting interests of socialists, Conservatives, churchmen and trade unionists before the 1944 Education Act, he "decided to ... make reform as comprehensive as possible and if there were any nettles to get a good bunch of them in our arms and not be stung by a little one ... the more nettles you collect, the more they sting one another and the less

they sting you".

If the Mont Pelerin Society is up to its past form, such ideas will not long remain in exclusively academic debate. But perhaps the most important lesson is not to be found in the proposals themselves but the way they formulate the problem. At Brighton the proclaimed divisions are between employers and labour, between left and right - the tired refrain of the class war. Cambridge suggests that the significant division and conflict in late twentieth century British society is none of these but is between the benefit of individuals and the power of any sectional interest however masked.

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The big leak they leave unstopped

Last week I drew attention to the impressive speed with which the Law Officers assented within 24 hours to the prosecution of a civil servant for allegedly leaking embarrassing documents. A saint could not resist this week contrasting that alacrity with the dithering over the papers submitted to them on those underwriters who made secret profits out of their dealings in Lloyd's, by reinsuring in their own offshore paper company.

Apparently the reductance to osecute has three rationalizations. It would be difficult to expound the complexities of fraud to a jury; most of the money is still around to be repaid; and anyway most of the big fish have already followed their profits abroad to a tax haven. Similar considerations might have prevented prosecution of the Great Train Robbers, but it is difficult to imagine the DPP settling in such a case for repayment of the loot. Yet the funds at stake in this City scandal dwarf the sums involved in a modern bullion raid and a government which ducks prosecution will be revealed as holding a very partial concern for law and

Lloyd's itself is something of an anachronism in the insurance world in that it still concentrates on the old-fashioned activity of insurance. The rapid growth of the insurance industry in recent years has been on the back of the swirling pension funds which they manage, indeed the most significant trend in the financial world has been the spectacular rise in importance and power of the institutional investors, particularly in the wake of the stimulus to contractual savings from the 1975 Pension Act. This radical development has not

attracted the political interest which it deserves aithough it raises profound questions of public policy. There is for example the issue accountability. Management of institutional savings is tightly concentrated and control of the companies which employ the managers is even more narrowly based.

A survey of the directors of a number of major insurance com-panies identified a total of only 147 who between them held 1,693 interlocking directorships in each other's companies. They were mostly drawn from the same closed segment of the population; more than half had graduated from Oxbridge, and no less than a third were products of Eton. In their personal background they were even ess representative than the present

This is all the more striking given that their influence depends on the monetary contributions of a wide cross-section of the working population, who to all intents and purposes have no control over how it is invested.

That would not matter if there

were not such obvious grounds for disquiet over the investment policies of insurance companies and independent pension funds. The need for more open debate is all the more urgent as Britain is passing through a window of investment opportunity in which pension funds are receiving more income from contributions than they have expenditure on pensions, a situation which will end as each fund matures.

Most recently unease has focused

on the rapidity with which institutional investors cash in their shares, which conflicts with the requirements of industry for stability of ownership and long-term Committee discovered that in the 1960s the financial institutions had held on to their shares for an average of 24 years, but as they expanded in the 1970s the average period fell to six years, and recent experience would suggest that this trend has continued. The financial institutions appear to have achieved the retrograde result of transforming long-term savings towards pensions that may not be required for three decades into short-term invest-

Nor can this penchant for the short-term view be justified by the obligation to turn in a performance on the portfolio. insurance companies and pension funds now hold a majority of publicly quoted shares and it is anthmetically impossible for them as a group to perform better than the market in which they constitute the largest investor. In turning over their shares in a frenzied effort to outstrip the general trend the only people to profit are merchant bankers and brokers who live by their commission, and some sour commentators have observed that most fund managers and consultants are drawn from those very professions.

Then there is the flood of investment out of the country into the economies of our competitors. Future historians are likely to regard as one of the mysteries of Britain's economic decline the enthusiasm with which her financiers led export of capital while investment in their own domestic industry fell from an

already lamentable level. There is a paradox at the heart of the British economy. The City of London is rivalled in Europe only by Zurich as a financial centre. Yet this enormous concentration of financial resources is surrounded on all sides by a nation in which industrial investment persists in remaining well below the level attained elsewhere by nations that do not possess that same potential. It is a perfect illustration of the perverse outcome that results from leaving a free market alone with its own

prejudices.
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INTERVENE AND BE DAMNED

foremost of those to be disappointed that the claim of the proprietor of the Daily Mirror to be causing the news to happen turned out to be moonshine. The leaders of the Labour Party have been stretched out long enough on Mr Scargill's rack.

It is an unpopular strike with the general public and with the majority of trade unionists. Miners are seen to be demanding too much and to be bullying one another and other groups of organized workers in order to get it. The odium of unpopular strikes spreads to the Labour Party, and this one has affected Mr Kinnock's personal standing with the public. Moreover bitter division within the National Union of Mineworkers is reproduced within the Labour Party, How much better if the thing could be over, or at any rate deep in "meaningful" negotiation, before Labour's own conference

comes round. Yet there was no way Labour could avoid damage from the strike. To limit the damage was the best that could be done. The miners are the praetorian guard of organized labour. When they strike ostensibly to protect jobs and mining communities in a high-unemployment economy. the Labour movement as a whole has no choice but to rally round, if only in appearance, the parliamentary wing no less than the industrial wing. That holds good even if mining communities are at odds with each other, if a quarter of the membership ignores the strike call, and if the clear requirement for a national

Mr Kinnock must be among the ballot before a national strike is circumvented. The NUM is officially at war, and that is what he heard. enough.

The parliamentary leadership's contribution to the miners' cause has been to misrepresent the Government's intentions towards the mining industry and inveigh against its conduct or non-conduct of the dispute. Behind the scenes Mr Stanley Orme has been the busiest of the go-betweens, having a realistic idea of the scope for compromise. The error of the parliamentary leadership has been to see too late that picketing out" is intimidation issuing in overt violence, or, having seen it, to come too late to its duty to denounce it for what it is.

There was too long a period when the Labour Party in parliament, led by Mr Kaufman's ingenuity, sought to distract attention from the unlawful and menacing challenge of the miners' pickets by blowing. up some of the dubieties of preemptive policing and the faults of fallible policemen with a riot on their hands. More recently, first Mr Hattersley and now Mr Kinnock have deplored without equivocation the violence employed by the miners'

pickets. Mr Kinnock's speech before the TUC yesterday was one of the more effective he has made and had a quality of political leadership. In a hall that still echoes to the acciamations of "total support" for the miners, Mr Kinnock tackled directly the question of violence in industrial

relations. Not every miner or miners' official present liked

The miners had a winning case in reason. Mr Kinnock professed to believe, backed by the asset of rationality. It was not to be put with violence, which detracted from it and obscured its validity. Violence disgusted trade unionists and was alien to the temper of their movement. It provided their enemies with evidence for a charge of ambition to take political power by other than democratic means: an allegation contradicted by the history and practice of British trade unionism. Trade unions are for changing conditions, elections for changing governments. Mr Kinnock proclaimed with eloquence sentiments that needed to be heard in that company and that it took some courage to deliver. He did well, and did himself good.

The quid pro quo for this plain speaking was an uncritical and unqualified endorsement of the NUM's demand for no pit closures save in case of exhaustion or geological impracticality. Until Mr Scarrill comes off that horse there can be no negotiated settlement of the kind to which Mr Kinnock rightly looks forward. Labour's own Plan for Coal, the text for the present disputation, envisages the closure, after consultation, of pits which cannot be worked econ-omically. Had Mr Kinnock sought to recall the miners to reason on that matter as well as warning them against the criminalization of their dispute he would have done double service.

SENDS ANOTHER MESSAGE

Sharpeville is a name etched in the hearts of the Afrikaner rulers of South Africa, In-1960 in this small Transvaal town police opened fire on a crowd of peaceful demonstrators and killed 69. The world reacted in horror. There was a flight of capital and panic in government circles. "Things will never be the same," said one minister. African leaders going to prison predicted that within three years they would be in power, and their confidence then did not

SHARPEVILLE

Twenty-four years later Shar-peville is back in the world headlines. There are significant differences. The days of peaceful mass demonstrations are past. The police fired on rioters this time, and Africans murdered the new constitution introduced African collaborators with the by Mr P. W. Botha, which regime.

This time the economy, though deep in trouble because of the continuing recession, the low gold price and the weakness of the rand, will not suffer as it did then: there are now effective

fences against a flight of capital. No one thinks that Sharpeville

change, as some did with Sharpeville 1960. The message is more sombre: things cannot go on in the long term as they are in South Africa; violence is everpresent, occasionally bubbling up into the world headlines, and certain to get worse.

The immediate and surface causes of the riots are relatively trivial: rising rents, inadequate schools (in which there was an excess of corporal punishment) and diminishing employment at a time of sharp inflation. But the seem as unwarranted as it mood of discontent has also been heightened by the intense political campaign waged by the United Democratic Front against the Coloured and Indian elections and by the brutal police reaction to it. The riots can be seen as yet another rejection of redraws the apartheid boundaries to give some rights (but not real share of power) to the Coloureds and Indians while leaving the black majority unrepresented.

Violence is multi-faceted in South Africa. The murder on his doorstep of the deputy mayor of Sharpeville (hacked to death and 1984 is the precursor of dramatic :

his body set alight) must be seen in context. In one year 90 people were judicially executed and 40,000 sentenced to corporal punishment; the prison population is 106,000 (from a population of 30 million, compared with about 45,000 in Britain from a population of 55 million). It is a form of violence that uproots families and deports them to black "homelands", that keeps Nelson Mandela in jail for more than 22 years and that caused Steve Biko to be murdered in police custody.

White South Afric be cocooned against this violence (though there is an endemic crime wave). Manifestations usually take place away from the comfortable white suburbs in "townships". But complacency became more difficult in 1976 when schoolchildren in Soweto demonstrating their anger caused over a year of rumbling violence with about 600 people killed. The positive achievement of Mr Botha has been to bring out into the open the idea that some dramatic change is necessary if South Africa is to survive. The message from Sharpeville Mark Two is that his proposed change is not enough.

NOT A CRIME, NOT A PROFESSION

equivocal territory between legality and illegality. Almost all those who discuss it agree, with a shrug or a sigh or a lick of the lips, that it would be impracticable and indeed oppressive to go against market forces to the extent of seeking to outlaw the activity as such. Yet where it is carried on there is apt to be offence, nuisance and fear (fear of dangers which may threaten residents and passers by, as well as participants). So the law has sought chiefly to minimize: nuisance and exploitation without making prostitution itself

illegal. The Criminal Law Revision Committee, whose report this month on street offences is part of a lengthy rumination, still in committee's proposals would progress, on sexual offences in make it an offence for men to general, accepts that approach. solicit women from a vehicle or cal one, reflecting the ambivalence of public attitudes. For while there may be nuisances and worse connected with the trade, the trade itself is also felt to be a most offensive nuisance by many who find it pursued, ugly, lucrative and untaxed, on their doorstep. But the further the law suppresses the visible offence, the more prostitution is thrust into a context of outright criminality, and vicious exploi-

In other activities involving a margin of disorder - the sale of liquor is the closest, though not perfect example - vendors and clients receive a measure of protection and restraint by having supply sanctioned only under controlled conditions. The law does "sanction" prostitution in the sense that anything not prohibited is permitted. But the more explicit sanction of establishing formal rules of supply has almost always appeared unacceptable in this country. It is rightly seen as degrading for state

Prostitution operates in that thing to be officially acknowledged as a profession, with regulated hours of duty, official standards of hygiene, contractual requirements legally enforceable on women who may be longing to escape from the trade, and so

> Politicians generally bestir themselves to legislate in this area only in response to some public outcry. There is justified concern at present over kerbcrawling by predatory men, and also over the sharp rise in recorded offences since the penalty of imprisonment (for women only) effectively ceased to be available to the courts. The present law has also come in for criticism because it does not treat women and men alike. The place, and a more serious offence to solicit in a frightening way. This would help to even the balance between the sexes and seems well-judged.

> goes. But the more difficult problems lie elsewhere. Prostitution today operates in gaps in the law - gaps in statute or gaps in enforcement, It is an offence seek business in public, however who assists her activities for financial gain, from the landlord who supplies a room to the newsagent who puts a coded postcard in his window, also national exercise of turning the blind eye to equivocal massage: parlours and advertisements for instruction in the language of Pascal and Bossuet, the sale of sexual services thrives on terms which enable the police to act when the public make a fuss, and not when they do not.

This kind of selective enforceand participants alike for the ment is unsatisfactory in prin- greater dangers than necessary.

ciple, and is a standing temptation to police corruption. Yet explicit sanction for these tolerated manifestations would change them: the surreptitious note in a newspagent's window is one thing, the alluring full-page spread in the glossy magazine quite another. Any such change would certainly increase business. It is sometimes claimed that fluctuations like the recent rise in street offences and the sevenfold decrease that followed the 1959 Act merely represent a shift from one milieu to another. but it is only realistic to assume that more publicity would mean more trade. That would be undesirable. If selective enforcement is unsatisfactory, a relaxation which failed to enforce discretion would be even more

In its earlier papers on other The position is itself an equivo- to solicit persistently in a public aspects of prostitution, the Committee took some account of the dangers that women would increasingly face, the more successfully they were driven off the streets into a This is satisfactory as far as it criminal underworld. It has proposed the repeal of the indiscriminate rules on immoral earnings, and their replacement by more specific offences penalizing those who direct or control for an identified prostitute to prostitutes. The committee has not acknowledged any need to discreetly. In private, anyone provide loopholes for minimal advertising. Any such provision would need to contain the strictest safeguards against exploitation. There must be no question of anything resembling commits an offence. In a a seal of state approval for the trade, but if it is acknowledged that it cannot be stamped out, the state does have a responsibility to its vulnerable practitioners as well as to the wider public. As they go about their trade, the law should not encourage them, still less give them a blessing, but it should not force them or the general public into

Putting Europe in Pit strike pointer to Bill of Rights

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From the Headmaster of Tonbridge School

Sir. The difficulties of the miners'

strike and the wider industrial and

political problems flowing from it

have been compounded by the way

in which questions of policy and

constitutional liberty have been

a Bill of Rights and a clearer

separation of powers, would have

enabled many issues to be tackled

without the sense of ultimate

confrontation which now bedevils

the dispute. For instance, the labour

legislation to which the unions

object would have been subject to

judicial review by a supreme court

applying criteria demonstrably independent of the government of

the day. Police actions against

miners travelling from county to

county could have been tested in the

no longer a sufficiently represent-ative, effective or clear definition of

our constitutional ideas and are

certainly not strong enough to provide a constitutional structure

within which we can face up to the

inescapable pressure for increasingly

rapid economic, industrial and

general change.

Even if it is too late to affect the

present dispute, we must now give a

high priority to devising a written

Constitution on the lines for which

Lord Hailsham and many others

A first step to convincing the political parties of the need for this

should be the calling of a well

prepared, unofficial and widely representative conference. I believe

that many firms and institutions

would be willing to sponsor such a

From Mr Richard Hickmet, MP for

Glanford and Scunthorpe (Conserva-

Sir. In his article (August 31) Mr

union's policy towards the steel industry and the 71,000 steelworkers employed by the BSC.

Scargill fails to explain or excuse his

meeting and the preparations for it.

have already called.

Your sincerely.

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C. H. D. EVERETT,

School House, Tonbridge School, Tonbridge, Kent.

Our unwritten arrangements are

EUTIC WAY.

A written Constitution, including

confused and intertwined.

From Mr Philip Allott Sir, Lord Boothby (September 3)

new perspective

could not be more mistaken in describing as rickety the foundations of the EEC. Through the imagin-ation and skill of its creators and through the rigours of experience, the institutional structure of the European Communities is solid, sophisticated and, like all good constitutional systems, full of rich potentialities for organic development.

It is already more sophisticated than the United States federal system, which was archaic when it was created and has remained so. We are not creating a United States of Europe. We are creating a new form of political union among proud and ancient nations.

At the present time the Community system is trapped in the condition of the Tudor Constitution emotion of the futor Constitution in England — a good system elaborated and abused by one branch of government (the King/the Council of the European Communities) obsessed with one particular policy above all others (the emphisioners) of an inde-(the establishment of an independent Church in England/the common agricultural policy). What it needs is some imaginative and vigorous politicians in the style of Pym and Hampden and the young Bob Boothby or, failing that, a Cromwell or a Napoleon or a Cavour or a Bismarck, to carry it to the next stage of its natural

development The need is urgent. The survival of European civilisation is once again threatened, in a world in which an important section of the people of the United States has worked itself up into the belief that it would be a good idea to "zap" the Russians if and when an opportunity occurs; a world whose political-economic centre of gravity is moving to Asia; a world in which yei another German Chancellor can use words (June 23, 1983) which echo ominously through the graves of the dead of three damnable wars: There are two states in Germany, but there is only one German

nation." To abandon the foundations of the European Community would be folly. A Glorious Revolution may be wished for and worked for.

Yours truly, PHILIP ALLOTT. Trinity College, Cambridge. September 1.

Hospital returns From Mrs Natalle Hodgson

Sir, In your article, on job losses in the NHS (August 24) Mr Kenneth Clarke, records with pride that, despite cuts of 11,400 in manpower, more patients than ever were treated.

These figures are misleading unless the numbers on the waiting lists are also recorded. If they are falling, then we are making headway, but if the numbers awaiting treatment are rising, then the health service is failing. I believe that every health authority should have the local waiting lists brought before them with monotonous regularity. Moreover the in-patient hospital

numbers are meaningless until the practice is changed whereby hospitals record in one figure the deaths and discharges. If hospital A admits 10 patients and they die within the week, whereas hospital B admits 10 patients, keeps them for three weeks and discharges them in good order, then hospital A will appear in statistics as three times as efficient as hospital B.

Hospitals would oppose this, as they like to hide their record of deaths amongst the discharges, but they should not feel like this. Most of us will die in hospital and we all have to die, but the present method of putting these figures together leads to erroneous conclusions I have the honour to be, Sir, yours

NATALIE HODGSON, Astley Abbotts, Bridgnorth. August 25.

The living language From Mr Matthew Norgate

Sir, Major-General Sixsmith (August 18) is so right. The pleasantly ubiquitous Philip Howard sometimes does indeed seem to be justifying the misuse of certain words as instances of the growth of the language.
But I wonder if Mr Howard would.

give his approval to those (in The Times and passim) who keep saying dialogue" when they mean "discussion" or "negotiation", and "confrontation" for "disagreement" or even "threat of attack"; and alas. other such things that they surely sbouldn't sav. I have the honour to be, Sir, your

obedient servant, MATTHEW NORGATE. Savage Club. 9 Fitzmaurice Place, Berkeley Square, W1. August 20.

A-level grades

From Miss C. G. Hunter Sir, I write with reference to the letter from the Deputy Headmaster of Sir George Monoux School, Walthamstow (August 29) concern-

ing our Advanced-level chemistry syllabus. It is true that the Delegacy applies a hurdle system in grading the work submitted in Advanced-level chem-istry; this is intended to ensure that the syllabus has been adequately

covered. The views expressed by your correspondent are, however, based on a misunderstanding of the sentence quoted from our regulations. It should be noted that what are

produce equal performances in each paper, nor that they are automatically graded according to their worst

ated by accepting a lower hurdle in one of the three papers.

Since the beginning of the mineworkers' strike there has been a deliberate and sustained effort to close down one of the five major steelworks in the United Kingdom by preventing coal, coke or ore

entering the works. The reason for

this is to demonstrate the NUM's industrial muscle. As a result 10,000 jobs are at risk in Scunthorpe, in my constituency, and a total of at least 5,000 in Ravenscraig and Llanwern respectively. On occasions several thousand pickets have battled with police

outside the coke works at Orgreave in an effort to prevent coke getting to Scunthorpe.
Success for Mr Scargill would have resulted in the closure of Scunthorpe steelworks, 7,000 compulsory redundancies amongst BSC's workforce, 3.000 in steeldependent industries with no alternative employment for those affected or benefits comparable to those on offer to mineworkers who

volunteer to leave the industry. Scunthorpe has a population of 66,000. It is a steel town. Another 30,000 live in the surrounding area. How does Mr Scargill possible justify his union's efforts to produce economic misery on such a scale in my constituency?

It is the height of hypocrisy for him to accuse the Government of political motives or to talk about entire regions facing despair and poverty when, in the words of Bill Sirs, the leader of the steelmen's union, he is seeking "to sacrifice steelworkers' jobs on the altar of his own political ambition".

Further, imagine the despair and poverty in Scunthorpe, Ravenscraig and Llanwern if Mr Scargill is successful in closing the steelworks

As for political motives the two national dock strikes have been engineered by the NUM's basic desire to close down Scunthorpe and Ravenscraig by starving them of ore and coal and by the TGWU's decision, for political reasons, to support them by blacking such coal and ore with all the disastrous consequences for Britain's economy which follow. Yours faithfully.

RICHARD HICKMET. House of Commons.

Dark Age London

From Mr Martin Biddle

Sir, Professor J. C. Mann (August 14) suggests that seventh-century London may have moved westwards attracted by late Roman Christian settlements around churches in the Hölborn/Strand/Fleet Street area. Early Christian churches, especially those with the cult of a powerful martyr, could indeed move cities.

Professor Mann mentioned Rome. In many other places settlement followed a saint, leaving an old city wholly or partially deserted, or forming a rival centre -Augsburg. Bonn, Xanten (ad sanctos), Tours are examples.

In Britain, Verulamium lies empty in its valley while St Alban has attracted the living to his hilltop city - a tradition for which recent excavations by my wife and myself for the St Albans Abbey Research Committee seem to be providing a firm archaeological context (report, August 15).

But I doubt if London is another example. True, the known Roman suburban stone buildings west of Londinium have all been found under churches but there is no evidence of Romano-British Christianity, or for continuity of Christian use, on any of these sites. The Anglo-Saxons may simply have reused convenient standing buildings, even pagan shrines or tombs, as Pope Gregory encouraged Augustine

London, as I tried to show in my original paper in the July issue of

30), is more likely to be an example of another and much more usual line of development. In these cases secular and ecclesiastical power continued to be exercised traditional centres of authority long after the end of imperial rule, usually from administrative buildings or important residences within the walls of former Roman cities. Commercial life, by contrast, once

Popular Archaeology (report, July

it got going again in the seventh century, was often found not within the walls but outside, in a more convenient location for trade. This might be immediately outside the walls (as at Cologne, Mainz, and possibly York) or at a distance, on a better harbour (Winchester and Southampton; Canterbury and Fordwich). These open trading places were

often called wie (for example, Hamwic (Southampton), Fordwich, lpswich) - a term that probably means a place with certain legal immunities, presumably those intended to encourage trade. Such places were probably deliberate royal foundations.

Aldwych - the old wic - indicates the site of a Dark Age London on the Strand/Fleet Street terrace. It was not so much a settlement of Romano-British Christian origins as the commercial foundation of an Anglo-Saxon king at the beginning of the seventh century.

Yours faithfully, MARTIN BIDDLE, Christ Church, Oxford.

Figuring it out

From Mr Richard Burrows Sir, British Telecom need look no further than their own doorstep to find an effective cure for the ludicrous and confusing system of local dialling codes from which Mr Stanley Blow (August 25) suffers.

If a system based on area codes, such as that used in London and other major cities, were extended to cover the whole country, then the task of those of us who need to maintain lists of subscribers to whom calls must be made from a number of different locations would he eased immeasurably. Yours faithfully.

RICHARD BURROWS. Malt House, Kemsing, Sevenoaks, Kent August 28.

Public view of land

From Mr John Wright Sir, Surely the real justification for

the almost unique secrecy of our land register (leading article, August

each of the three theory papers. This does not imply that candidates must

The awarders scrutinize the work offered and decide on the appropriate standard of work which candidates must produce in each paper in order to achieve a given grade. The grade for each candidate is then decided by the aggregate mark, the hurdles for each paper, and the performance in the practical paper; furthermore, what might seem to be very severe demands are amelior-

Finally, it must be realised that the awarders' decisions are made as required for each A-level grade are a result of close and intensive study suitable levels of achievement in of scripts and all borderline cases are

29) is that the Englishman particularly dislikes others knowing how much he paid or sold his castle for. with the possible implications of his having been had for a mug, done somebody else down, or made an excessive profit. Ownership should be public but the price paid at each

transaction need not be shown. It is to be hoped that the committee will also look keenly at another part of conveyancing where information is often lacking quite unnecessarily - in the positions and ownership of boundary features which in most cases define our property.

Both the Law Commission and the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors have recommended that this feature of conveyancing should be improved; and with our excellent and virtually unique system of largescale Ordnance Survey plans it need only occasionally require professional land survey work.

Yours faithfully, JOHN WRIGHT. Webbs Farmhouse, West Wittering, Chichester, West Sussex.

re-scrutinized before the grades are ultimately awarded.

It is true that a candidate who misses one paper because of ill health and on whose behalf a medical certificate and school report are presented will be considered on the basis of the performance in the other two papers: each such case is

judged and assessed on its merits. The Delegacy does not give aegrotat awards, which are usually taken to imply the award of a certificate where no examination work at all has been presented.

Yours faithfully, C. G. HUNTER, Secretary, University of Oxford, Delegacy of Local Examinations, Ewert Place, Summertown, Oxford.

The proper uses of history

From Mr John Clifford Sir. Lord Henderson, in his letter of August 31, seems to have forgotten t that the purpose of "patriotic" history is not only to arouse interest in Britain's past and the consequences of that past, but also to serve as a means of unifying the nation by evoking a common past, shared emotions and the sense of belonging to this country against all others

Such history must be taught with : view to the present and the future; if the pupil, having been taught such history, considers himself a spec-tator rather than a participant, then such history has no point.

Bearing this in mind, Lord Henderson's suggestion that the tercentenary of the Glorious Revolution be given national prominence should be considered carefully.

Not only is it questionable whether 1688 bequeathed us the modern parliamentary system, but more importantly there lies the danger that the open celebration of this event will arouse contrary opinions, best kept confined within the obscurity of historical journals, and the awakening of emotions that have laid dormant within the national psyche for this century at EDEL.

Many may well recall that 1688 and subsequent events did little to improve Anglo-Scottish relations or that William of Orange was welcomed by many because he would not pursue the Stuart policy of religious toleration, hardly the advent of parliamentary democracy that some have made it out to be, bearing in mind that the House of Lords held the parliamentary initia-tive under William, the Commons relegated to being a mere appendage.

Whether or not the Government does decide to celebrate 1688, it has to be remembered that in one province of the United Kingdom celebrations will undoubtedly occur and in view of the Government's responsibilities in Northern Ireland one wonders whether it would be wise for them to sponsor what would appear to be an undiluted Orange-flavoured brand of history.

The party of government must also ask itself whether it wishes to condone the messy and unconstitutional overthrow of a monarch, an event which left their political forefathers in a quandary comparable only to that which grips the modern Labour Party.

Ideally, if British history contained a war of independence or the ousting of some foreign invader. then we would have good reason to mount lavish celebrations (one has only to look towards the United States). However, as these seem to be absent in our modern history, might I suggest that if we are to celebrate anything in 1988, then why not the tetracentenary of the defeat of the Spanish Armada, though this has the disadvantage that it will do little to improve Anglo-Spanish relations.

Yours faithfully, JOHN CLIFFORD. 5 Learnington Avenue. Morden. Surrey. September 2.

Election of bishops

From the Bishop of Derby Sir, It is a pity that Canon George Austin (August 28) denigrates members of the General Synod to make his sensible point that "the capitular election is now...an important long-stop in the event of the state (or the Crown Appointments Commission) ignoring the advice received in local consultations.'

Many of us who are not conscious of belonging to any "dominant liberal establishment" find in capitular election the serious limitation that it is entirely clerical. It is not synodical.

A more satisfactory long-stop would be the Bishop's Council. which is a statutory body set up under the Synodical Government Measure. Some of its members are likely to have served on the nonstatutory vacancy in the committee and all its members, both elected and ex-officio, are fully aware of the work of the diocese and the leadership needed by it.

Canon Austin ignores in his letter the confirmation of election, which the Bishops Appointment Measure replaced with a simple and suitable alternative. The present ceremony is far from being a harmless anachronism. It is an expensive farce and spiritually unseemly.

On the occasion when I was subject to it I spent the whole time praying that no uninformed person would come in and imagine that it expressed the real life of the church.

Yours faithfully, CYRIL DERBY, The Bishop's House, 6 King Street, Duffield. Derby. August 28.

All-round vision

From Mr David H. R. Yorke Sir. Mrs Green (August 30) is fortunate in that her new reading aid made no greater demand than "lie

flat on the paper". Had she applied it to a card such as I found recently in an hotel bedroom she would have read, "For breakfast in your room hang outside on the door knob up to 4 am". Yours faithfully. DAVID H. R. YORKE. Holford Manor. North Chailey, August 30.



COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT **CIRCULAR**

YORK HOUSE ST JAMES'S PALACE

September 4: The Duke of Kent, as President, this afternoon opened the Football Association General Motors National School at the National Sports Centre. Lilleshall.

Shropshire.

His Royal Highness, who travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight, was attended by Sir Richard Buckley.

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE September 4: Princess Alexandra Mayor and City Council at Guildhall, Kingston upon Hull and this afternoon was present at the Commissioning of S. E. S. Sir Walter Raleigh, the Flagship of Operation Raleigh, at Albert Dock.

The Hon Mrs Nicolson gave birth to a daughter in London on Sunday. Kingston upon Hull, Humberside, Her Royal Highness, who was attended by Lady Mary Fitzalan-Howard, travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight.

Forthcoming marriages

Lord Justin Phipps and Miss R. Stainshy

The engagement is announced between Justin, younger son of the Marquess and Marchioness of Normanby, and Rachel, daughter of Mr Charles Stainsby, of The Manse, Chadlington. Oxon, and Mrs. Stainsby, of Thames Street, Walling-

Mr D. N. V. Churton and the Hon Katherine Tyrell-

The engagement is announced between David Nigel Vardon elder son of Colonel G. V. Churton and the late Mrs Churton. of The White House. Bunbury. Cheshire. and Ratherine, daughter of Lord and Lady Kenyon of Cumbers House. Lady Kenyon, of Cumbers House, Gredington, Clywd.

Mr A. W. Bonell and Miss C. H. Willy

The engagement is announced between Anthony William, only son of Mr and Mrs S. B. Bonell, and Claire Honor, younger daughter of Air Commodore and Mrs K. R. Willy, of Colindale, London.

and Miss E. Nerval

The engagement is announced between Stephen, younger son of Captain and Mrs A. C. Dalziel, of Asheldon House, Asheldon Road, Wellswood, Torquay, Devon, and Elaine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs L. Norval, of Bidston, Cwm Fedw,

Mr O. E. C. Elmhirst and Miss K. Moss

The engagement is announced between Orlando, son of the late Colonel Edward M. Elmhirst, TD, MS. FRCS. and Mrs Shiela Emhirst. FRSA. of Ipswich, Suffolk, and Karin daughter of Mr and Mrs Stanley P. Moss, of Golborne, Lancashire.

Mr M. A. J. Jones and Mile I. C. Busto Geoffrey Humphrey, of Cadogan The engagement is announced hetween Michael, son of Professor and Mrs. P. M. S. Jones, of Newbury, Mr F. A. C. Wallis Mr F. A. C. Wallis M and Mme B. Busto Villanueva, of Wayre, Brabant, Belgium,

Mr R. Macadam and Miss K. Diserens

The engagement is announced between Richard, vounger son of Mr. J. D. Macadam, MBE, and Mrs. Macadam, of Venado Tuerio. Argentina, and Karen, only daughter of Mr and Mrs M. A. Discrens of Tonbridge, Kent.

Mr J. Lambert and Miss J. Moon

The engagement is announced between James, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Maurice Lambert, of 68 Onslow Gardens, London, and Ja-Kyung, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs D. C. Moon, of Scoul,

The Duke of Edinburgh, Chairman | Funeral of the National Federation of Housing Associations, will be in the chair at the first meeting of the federation's inquiry into British housing, at Buckingham Palace on October 25.

The Duke of Edinburgh, Admiral of the Sea Cadet Corps. will present new colours to the ship. Windsor Castle, at a parade to be held at Windsor Castle on October 28.

The Duke of Edinburgh, Air Commodore-in-Chief, Air Training Corps, will present the Sir Alan Lees Trophy to 444 Squadron, ATC at Mercers' Hall on October 30, and later, as patron, will attend a reception given by the London Federation of Boys' Clubs, at Mercers' Hall.

A memorial service for Charles Harry Lawrence will be held in the Grosvenor Chapel, South Audley

Licutenant R. A. Howling, RN and Miss C. M. D. Lickfold The engagement is announced Mrs R. J. Howling, of Poole, Dorset.

and Carol, youngest daughter of Commander and Mrs D. J. Lickfold, Mr L. J. Kent

The engagement is announced between Leslie John, eldest son of Mrs F. W. Bastable-Dolby, of Brixham, Devon, and Susan Margaret, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs D. Muirsmith, of Amplield, Hampshire.

The marriage took place on September I at Brighton of Mr Paul John Drake, son of Mr and Mrs Gair Drake, of Caterham, Surrey, to Mile Corinne Gibot, daughter of M and Mme Jean-Claud Roland-Piègue of Nantes, France.

Mr A. F. S. Fletcher and Miss F. P. Taylor

The marriage took place on Saturday, September I, at St Michael and All Angels, Awlis-combe, of Mr Andrew Fletcher, son of Mr Fitzroy Fletcher, of Lodge House, Ansford, Somerset, and Mrs Brygid Fletcher, of Richmond, Surrey, and Miss Felicia Taylor, daughter of Major and Mrs Pagan Taylor, or Egland House, Honiton, Devon. The Rev James Smith officiated.

The bride, who was given in

marriage by her father, was attended hy Nathalie Coupland, Raoul Millais, Willie Pagan Taylor and Leonie Flower. Mr Guy Davison A reception was held at the home of the bride and the honeymoon is

being spent abroad. Mr G. T. Humphrey and Mrs A. E. Atkins

on September 4 between Mr Geoffrey Humphrey, of Cadogan Square, SW1, and Mrs Ann Atkins

The marriage took place on August 25 in Chicago of Mr Flavian Wallis, younger son of Mr and Mrs Jack Wallis, of Hampstead, and Miss Mindy (Melanie) Madorin, only daughter of the late Mr Bernard Madorin and Mrs Janice Madorin.

Birthdays today

Mr Johnny Briggs, 49; Mr Justice Bush, 59; Lord Delfont, 75; Professor Peter Fricker, 64; Mr Russell Harty, 50; Sir Francis Loyd, 68; Professor A. D. Momigliano, 76; Mr W. G. Nursaw, 81: Canon Peter Pilkington, 51: Mr G. W. Tremlett

Lady Johnston The funeral service for Lady Johnston was held yesterday at the Russian Orthodox Church in Exile, Emperor's Gate, South Ken London. Bishop Constantine offi-ciated and Father John Suschenko celebrated the liturgy, Among those

Price. Mrs v neorgan, rar companies for Acting High Commissioner for Australia, Mr Mazhen Jume (representing the Jordanian Ambasyador). Margaret Ouchess of Arnyli. Refaelle Duchess of Leitslett. Commiss Filtzwilliam, Patricia Camissa, Jellicos, Viecumi De L'Isle. VC representing its Grove of St Michael and St Georgel. Lord and Lady Arman, Ledy Duchamy, the Downser Lady Emperical the Downser Lady Proventing the Control of Commission of Indian Amony. APL And Lady Ambas, Mr Julian Amony, APL and Lady Emperical Amony, the Mos Mrs.

Fellowship of the British Academy has been conferred on the following: Professor A B Attinson seconomical of J H Baker degal history); Professor K Bournet international relationst: Mr M F Battin chistory of arti; Mr J Campbell (greateval history) of artifectory of the control of the cont The following corresponding fellows

Luncheon

Overseas Development, was host at a luncheon held at Lancaster House yesterday in honour of Mr Norman Saunders. Chief Minister of the Turks and Caicos Islands.

Dinner Association

45; Sir Denys Wilkinson, 62; Air Vice-Marshal B. C. Yarde, 79; Mr Frank Yerby, 68.

British Academy Fellowship of the British Academy

HM Government Mr Timothy Raison, Minister for

Tobacco Industry Employers' To mark the sesquicentenary of the

Tobacco Workers' Union, the Tobacco Industry Employers' Association gave a dinner at the Old Ship Hotel. Brighton, last night. Mr J. A. Liddle, chairman, presided and proposed the toast to the union. Mr A. R. Martin, president of the union responded.

Bravery awards

Three steelworkers from Scun-thorpe, Mr Richard Simpson, Mr Jeffrey Oughtbridge, and Mr Abdul Malik Own, have been awarded bravery certificates by the Carnegie Hero Fund Trust at Dunfermline for attempting to save a workmate for attempting to save a workmate overcome by gas in a water tank. Mi Simpson died in the rescue bid.

But, according to Dr B. S. Benedikz, librarian in charge of Mr Patrick Handley, of Wembley special collections at Birminghas been posthumously awarded bravery certificate by the trust for trying to rescue a colleague from an ham University, these do not reflect the historic value of the collection as a whole. "Once the erground diesel tank. documents have been scattered you have lost a valuable record



The Archdeacon of Cleveland, the Ven John Southgate (above), has been appointed Dean of York. He succeeds Dr Ronald Jasper who retired last week. He is expected to be installed in November. His links with York Minster began in the early 1970s when he became Vicar of Harome, near Holmsley, and shortly afterwards became a canon and took over responsibilities for missions and evangelism in the diocese.

Elizabethan archive sold amid protests

historians that the sale was a

cruci blow to students of the

late sixteenth century.

The letters, which were put

on the market by an unidenti-

fied European nobleman, trace

Corsini family who were

years of the sixteenth century.

As befits a company which operated from Gracechurch

Street, or Gratious Street as it

was then known, just a few

hundred yards from the fish

market, much of the correspon-

dence deals with such mundane

natiers as the provision of

pilchards, hake and conger eels.

port of more exotic items such

as silver and gold thread, as well

as a parcel of 253 elephants'

teeth weighing more than

Bidding was brisk from the

outset with some lots going

for prices considerably higher

against an estimate of £200.

5 cwt.

Other letters cover the trans-

Collectors of postal history of how Elizabethan Europe yesterday snapped up more conducted its day-to-day than 1,000 rare Elizabethan business affairs", he said business letters at a Christie's Robson Lowe auction in London despite protests from

Dr Benedikz had hoped that by contacting like-minded historians and by getting a letter on his fears published in *The* Times last week some leading body such as the Paul Getty Foundation might have been willing to negotiate for a bulk

the business affairs of the But in the absence of such a benefactor in advance of yestermerchants during the final 30 day's sale, he hopes that he may have forestalled the splitting up Archivists in the City of London believe that they make of similar collections up the only commercial archive valuable documents in the to have survived the Great Fire

While regretting the loss of the original documents to economic historians, Mr Brian Smith secretary of the Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts, said that there had been no practical way of stopping the sale from going ahead. He pointed out that the letters were owned by someone outside Britain.

Christie's Robson Lowe, who will be holding a second sale of later Corsini documents in Zurich next month, said that they had gone to considerable lengths to meet the concerns of historians.

Photocopies of the complete than originally estimated. The "elephants" teeth," letter, for example, was bought for £700, correspondence had been given to the Guildhall Library in London, together with all the working notes on the contents of the letters and copies of the auction catalogue. Archivists in other European cities where the letters were written had been offered similar facilities free of

The sale totalled £53.816.

OBITUARY M GASTON PALEWSKI Loyal associate of de Gaulle

unreservedly with de Gaulle.

In the eyes of some French and British critics of Free France. Palewski was seen as de

Gaulle's evil genius. The head-

quarters of Free France at Cariton Gardens was not

exactly free from intrigues, and

Palewski, who largely controlled

access to de Gaulle and whose

task was to weed out the

importunate and self-seckers

was the subject of much

disagrecable gossip. He was an

easy-going man and Andre Gillois quoted him as saying:

number of madmen, of in-

triguers and men of value.

These last, as is natural, won in

He needed to be easy-going, for though he had de Gaulle's

confidence. he was the subject of many of the General's acid remarks. He played vis-a-vis de Gaulle and Churchill, both in

London and Algiers, a role not

unlike that of Duff Cooper, that

of souffre-douleurs - the bearer of unpleasant messages and frequently the butt of immedi-

In 1947 Palewski played an

active part in founding and running the Rassemblement du

Peuple Français. After de

Gaulle had dissolved the Rassemblement, Palewski, elected a

Deputy by the department of

the Seine, joined Edgar Faure's

government in 1956, along with a number of other Gaullists.

The Fourth Republic sent him

1957, where he remained until

Not having asked to be

recalled to France after de Gaulie's return to power in

1958 may have lost him some

favour. He was made Minister

of State in the Pompidou government in 1962, and was

entrusted with missions to

Franco and to the Soviet Union

but he never recovered his

intimate position as adviser. In

the Constitutional Council.

After de Gaulle's death, be

became vice-president of the

of character and knowledge of

the world cut Palewski out for

the role of eminence grise. But

he was also devoted to de

Gaulie, and that was the mainspring of Palewski's life. In

the summer of 1945, when the

Liberation honeymoon was

popularity and manocuvring.

not very skilfully, with the parties of the Left. Claude

Mauriae noted in his diary: "the

faith of Palewski in the infalli-

bility of de Gaulle continues to

astonish me. Such is Palewski's

confidence, that he cannot

imagine that it is not shared by

Subtlety of mind, suppleness

Institut Charles de Gaulle

1965, he was made president of .

Rome as ambassador in

the end,"

ate anger.

1962

"Among the Free French were a

Earl Howe, of Penn Street, Buckinghamshire, after a further M Gaston Palewski, who died on September 3 at the age of 83, was one of General de that he should throw in his lot Buckinghamshire, after a further grant of probate, left estate valued at £3,545,533.

Mrs Lillian Timpson, of Hale, Greater Manchester, left ostate valued at £1,320,397 net.

Miss Mariida Theress Steer, of Ashtead, Surrey, left estate valued at £116,832 net. She left bequests of effects and legacies totalling £1,800, and the residue to Guildford Enhedral. Gaulle's closest advisers in London during the Second World War, and remained one of his most loyal associates until his death. He served as Minister of State with responsibility for scientific research and for Other estates include, (net, before nuclear and space affairs from 1962 to 1965. He was then James, Mrs Peggy, of East Horsley, appointed president of the Constitutional Council, where

Latest wills

Earl Howe's

£3.5m estate

tax paid):

Exeter School

football. Speech day is on Octobe 30, when the guest visitor will be Lord Crowther-Hunt. The school

play will be Brecht's Caucasian Chalk Circle on Nov 29, 30, and Dec 1, the school concert is on

December 13 and the staff variety show on December 14, 15 to close the first phase of the school appeal.

Autumn Term begins today. Charlotte Gerken is head girl and Alison Wakelin is deputy. The school play is on Friday and Saturday December 7 and 8 at 7.00pm. The Old Queenswoodians' and Governors' carol services are on Sunday, December 9 and parents' carol services on the last day of

carol services on the last day of term, Tuesday, December 11.

Royal Grammar School

should book their places without

Michgelmas Term begins at Seven-

Michaelmas Term begins at Sevenoaks today. The school, now fully
cocducational, has 907 pupils,
including 140 girls. Of 200 pupils
commencing their sixth form
studies 47 are reading for the
international baccalaureate. 36
pupils are returning for the
Oxbridge term. The Old Sennocklan

dinner takes place on Saturday, September 22.

Latest appointments

The following have been appointed

burgh University: Professor Jane Lloyd, of St George's Medical School: Professor David Peters, of

School: Professer David Peters, of the Royal Postgraduate Medical School; Dr David Ress, of the National Institute for Medical Research; and Professor Lewis Wolport, of the Middlesex Hospital Medical School.

The following have been elected officers of the Company of Coachmakers and Coach Harness

Makers for the ensuing year:
Master: Mr T. J. Connoily: Senior
Warden: Mr R. D. C. Dallimore;
Renter Warden: Mr D. J. Connoily:

Junior Warden: Mr. D. M. Shalit.

Company of Coach-

Sevenoaks School

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Council:

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he remained until 1974. Palewski was one of the few Gaullists in London in 1940 Marks, Mr Sain Sidney, of Flove, East Sussex. £438,863.

Marley, Mr Thomas Francis William, of Fylingdales, Whitby, North Yorkshire £353,800.

Ogleby-Davies, Miss Filten, of Farnham, Surrey £510,189.

Ray, Mr Carl, of Torquay, Devon, 1882, 1884, 1885, 1886, with any extensive experience of high-level politics. Born in March 20, 1901, of a family which had come to France from Poland in the 18th century, he Ray, Mr Carl, of Torquay, Devon, master mariner £386,233.
Rose, Mrs Rubie, of St John's Wood, London £359,213.
Samson, Mr Abraham, of Brighton, East Sussex £457,371.
Savill, Mr Thomas Guichard, of Worthing, West Sussex £395,190.
Spooner, Mrs Mabel Georgina, of Upper Norwood, London £403,773.
Tripp, Mr Frederick Fowler, of Kingsbridge, Devon £445,095.
Whitehouse, Mr Geoffrey, of West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire £397,483. had been educated at the Ecole des Sciences Politiques, and later at Oxford, In 1924 he joined the staff of Marshal Lyautey. In 1928 he became an adviser

to Paul Reynaud, and it was he who introduced de Gaulle to Reynaud in the 1930s when de Gaulle was campaigning for attaching more importance to tank warfare. Palewski re-mained with Reynaud until March, 1940, when he resigned in disgust at the growing defeatist influence of Reynaud's Michaelmas Term starts tomorrow. Philip Behenna is head prefect and Philip Askham, Captain of rugby mistress, Hélène des Portes, He ioined a bomber squadron,

From Morocco, where he was being demobilized, he wrote to de Gaulle on June 18, the day of de Gaulle's historic broadcast. to say that he would join him as soon as possible. When he arrived in London he was appointed de Gaulle's principal political adviser, and he remained in that position throughout the war, except for a short period in 1941-42 when at his own request he was put in charge of Free French affairs in

East Africa. In 1942 Palewski became formal head of de Gaulle's cabinet, and held that post in London, Algiers and Paris, resigning with de Gaulle in 1946. During the post-Liberation period his influence on de Gaulle, and de Gaulle's entourage, was at its height.

Michaelmas Term begins today with 731 boys in the senior school and 265 at Lanesborough Mark Street is school captain, and the captain of rugby is Desmond Haclin. Mr J. E. F. Lauder has retired. Speech day will be on October 17: the guest of honour is Professor Dorothy Wedderburn, Principal of Bedford College. The carol services will be on December 18. Old Guildfordians wishing to attend the reunion on September 15 should book their places without In London in 1940 - or for that matter in Algiers or in Paris it is an open question whether Palewski had much formative influence on the General's major decisions. "One does not discuss policy with de Gaulle," he once said, "one listens to him holding a dialogue with himself".

But he often succeeded in presenting the General's initiatves in their least aggressive over, de Gaulle was losing form, and he was much sought after by the British and by the foreigh governments in London as the man who best understood what was in the General's mind. During his short visit to Paris in November, 1944, Churchill found time to lunch alone with Palewski.

One major diplomatic the majority of the French achievement was his alone. He people".

had arrived in London in Much attracted by women, September when de Gaulle was Palewski remained a bachelor only five-star general to desert Vichy, came to London from duchesse de Sagar

at Dakar. General Catroux, the until, in 1969, he married Violette de Taileyrand Périgord, **REV PROF JAMES KINSLEY** The Rev Professor James career of indefatigable scholar-Kinsley, FBA, who died on August 24 at the age of 62, was Professor of English Studies and Head of the Department of English Studies in the Univer-

sity of Nottingham from 1961, and a scholar and editor of great energy. Among his major achievements are his monumental editions of Dryden and Burns and his definitive edition of Dunbar. James Kinsley was born on April 17, 1922, and educated at the Royal High School, Ediaburgh and Edinburgh University where he graduated in 1943, thereafter serving in

the Royal Artillery for the remainder of the war. After the war he went to Oriel College, Oxford where he took a first in English in 1974. From Oxford he went to Aberystwyth where he stayed as

a lecturer until 1954 and it was in these years that his work on his great edition of Dryden took shape. In 1954 he was given the Chair of English Language and Literature at Swansea holding this until 1961 when he moved to Nottingham where he was to spend the rest of his life,

Kinsley's great edition of Dryden has appeared in 1958 in four volumes, and in 1962 he also replaced a previous Oxford Standard Authors single volume with a new edition. His edition of Burns in three volumes appeared in 1968 and was hailed for its completeness and intelligibility. But these were merely the landmarks in a

ship which saw his general editorship of the Oxford English Novels, 1967-77; of the Oxford English Memoirs and Travels, 1969-77; his participation in the Clarendon Dickens: his new edition of The Oxford Book of Ballads (1969) and numerous other undertakings of great usefulness to students, such as his popular selections from Dryden and Dryden's Virgil which he prepared with his wife Helen whom he had met at Oxford and whom he married

in 1949. His superb edition of the poems of Dunbar appeared in 1979 and rendered inestimable service to study of this poet. But though his own substantial contribution to textual and commentarial scholarship was time and energy consuming he also strongly supported the work of others and saw, for example, that the researches of his colleague Ken Cameron made Nottingham the natural centre for Daneiaw studies in Great Britain.

James Kinsley was a big man of classic second-row forward build and powerful personality. He could be brusque but he was a considerate head of department. In his later life he suffered many severe physical ills but he was helped by his strong religious convictions and priesthood.

He is survived by his wife Helen and by two sons and a

SUBEDAR NAMDEO JADHAV, VC

Hon Subedar Namdeo Jadhav, VC, who died aged 62 on August 2, 1984, in India, won his medal when a sepoy in the 1/5th Mahratta Light Infantry at the Senio River in Italy in April 1945, when a small party were almost wiped out in an assault on the cast floodbank of the Senio River. He carried two wounded men

through deep water, up the precipitous river bank and through a mine belt to safety. resistance in the area,

Mr James Manssield Keith.

CBE, who died on August 23, was the first Master of the Worshipful Company of Chartered Accountants when it was formed in 1977. For many years senior partner of J. Dix Lewis, Caesar & Co, he was elected to the Court of Common Council in 1962, and was chairman of the finance committee of the Corporation of London 1971-75.

Then, with a tommy gun and grenades, he avenged his dead comrades by climinating three enemy machine gun posts Climbing to the top of the bank and shouting the Mahratta warery, he waved the remaining companies across the river.

He not only saved many lives but enabled the battalion to secure a deeper bridgehead and ultimately to crush all enemy Professor Ivan Poldavi, who

died in Prague on August 9 at the age of 69, held the chair of English and was head of department at the Charles University until the 1970 purges. He compiled the standard Czech-English and English-Czech dictionaries, and had recently completed work on a new Czech-English dictionary, the first for 60 years.



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Science report

Distilling facts about acid rain

By Tony Samstag

(not for the first time) that the case against acidification, and Britian's contribution to the Conservationists tend to dismiss as propaganda the arguments of the various government agencies, such as the Central Electricity Gener-ating Board or the National problem in particular, was far from proven. One paper that went a long way towards mitigating that argument was almost totally overlooked. about acid rain and what to do about it. The result is a scientists concerned but to the cause of conservation itself.

For one thing, those who are responsible, or held to be responsible, for generating the pollutants that probably cause acidification are likely to be more knowledgeable about the processes involved than almost anyone else. They are also, as scientists, extremely unlikely to lie about their work, although they will certainly put a favourable gloss on their findings, according to the political climate of the day.

A great deal of valuable

science, therefore, is readily available to any conservation-ist body with the expertise and the perseverance to winkle it out. The task is often eased by a phenomenon, first described by Max Nicholson, known as "convergence": a point, historical or scientific or economic or any combination of these, at which the interests of the polluter and his opponents

A recent example of all those forces at work is the publication last month of an issue of the NCB's Coal and Energy Quarterly exclusively devoted to acidification. Media attention, guided by

the NCB press office, focused on several papers suggesting

Mr Laurence Penzer, director of sales and deputy director-general of marketing makes it clear, however, that this particular technology has for the coal board, discussed fluidized bed combustion, one of several processes long advocated by conservationists as a means of reducing sulphur filoxide emissions.

At the outset of discussion he notes that the method "is proving itself capable of realizing the clear omercial advantages coal has over oil and gas at current price relationships", adding plant. Consequently it is predicted that there will be a lmost as an afterthought: considerable requirement for Also important is the environmental benefit ... from retaining sulphur in the bed instead of discharging it to the

It is the addition of limestone to the bed that retains the sulphur. Otherwise, "the most significant advantages offered by fluidized bed combustion compared with mechanical stokers are: easier automatic start-up and load control; automatic fire-bed management; reduced maintenance (there are no moving parts in the fire bed); high efficiency which is maintained over a wide turn-down range and for long periods of operations without tube cleauing", and "ability to burn a wide range of coals and waste

Cost has always been the pivotal factor in arguments by both the electricity and coal boards against wide-ranging installation of new tech-nologies to control emissions when they consider the conseovences of those emissions to be unproven.

much more to offer than mere pollution control. Furthermore "80 per cent of all coal-fired boilers are over 20 years old compared with 23 per cent of boilers fired by other fuels. "In fact, the average age o coal-fired boilers is 30 years compared with 17 years for oil and 23 years for natural gas

new coal-fired plant to replace existing coal-fired plant, between now and 1990 ..." plant, in other words, it is probably only a matter of time before the villains of the acid rain controversy get round to doing exactly what their critics have asked of them, albeit for entirely the wrong reasons.
If the implications of Mr Penzer's article are borne out, it will not be the first demonstration of the primacy

the practice of conservation. Fluidized bed combustion: the economic and environmental attractions, by Laurence Penzer, Coal and Energy Quarterly, no 41: Summer 1984. (National Coal Board, Hobart House, Grosvenor Place, London SWIX 7AE.)

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FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet

Shares slithering into a shallow depression

There is now an unease in the equity market which, though it may not presage a serious bear market, strongly suggests that the bull market has finally petered out. Since the phase of April exphoria following the Budget, British shares have shown little will of their own with exceptions prompted by takeover bids, real and rumoured, they have followed lamely paths dictated by the git-edged market and Wall Street.

The financial key is still the structure of interest rates. If the sagacious Di Henry Kaufman of Salomon Brothers & right. only a prolonged US car worker strike (unlikely) would stop the US economy regaining fresh momentum in the artumn, and by the same token stop US interest

rates edging up.

Unlike the American, the British business recovery has lacked strength and real conviction. Brokers de Zoete & Bevan suggest that demand may have reached the top of the cycle in 1983. That is itself is a disappointing conjecture, and it is made worse by the depressing psychologi-cal effects of the long miners' strike. Business optimism reflected in surveys like that of the Confederation of British Industry will not bloom again as long as Mr Arthur Scargill's brigades are maming the country.

In a strictly business sense, few companies (most have their contingency plans in operation or ready) will be gravely put out by lack of coal, which is becoming almost an irrelevance. The harm is in what the miners' strike, even if it does not lead in the end to Mr Scargill's coronation, signifies about attituds and priorities in unionized Britain. Perhaps after all, there has been no dundamental charge: politi-cally motivated Luddites still rule, despite a lengthy recession and Mrs Thatcher's brisk experiment in economic realism.

The truth is still hard to gauge. One aspect of it however, cannot be gainsaid. The tendency still is for British real wages to rise faster than productivity. Neither recession and high umemployment nor the discipline unleashed of market forces has dented the belief that yearly pay increases of between 5 and 10 per cent are British law of nature.

The fall in sterling below \$130 may be largely explained away by the strength of the US dollar, but that is not the whole story. The external view of our affairs has again turned pessimistic.

Returning to the equity market, I would go no further at this stage than predicting a 10-15 per cent drop. Barring widespread industrial disruption or a full-blown financial crisis stemmingfrom the parious state of many US banks and savings institutions, the market would probably start anticipating better times towards the end of 1985.

A mass of would-be market makers

At least one area of the planned new stock market, namely market-making, looks bound to get off the ground without a tremor. Well over 50 financial institutions have expressed interest in becoming official market makers. A figure as high as 80 has also been quoted. The Bank of England refuses to be drawn beyond commenting that a large number of people have been in touch.

This level of enthusiasm creates a problem, since the new system, as envisaged, is probably incapable of supporting more than a dozen or so market makers. Even then, the drive to build up market share by ruthless price competition would be intense. Any larger

NEWS IN BRIEF

£6.8m offer

by Smiths

Industries

Smiths industries, the aerospace and medical equipment

group, has announced an agreed

£6.8m takeover bid for Super-

flexit, a private company specializing in the manufacture

and distribution of flexible

electrical conduits. The com-

pany also makes power and

Directors and other share-holders owning 77 per cent of Superflexit's capital have under-

taken to accept the offer which

consists of 11 Smiths Industries

shares for every 18 Superflexit.

Shareholders may choose to

receive all or part of the

consideration in cash. Smiths

Industries has put a ceiling of

£1.657m on the amount of cash

it will pay.

NURDIN & PEACOCK,

the cash and carry wholesalers.

has lifted pretax profits for the half year to June 30 from £3.2m

to £3.5m. Turnover increased to

£264.7m up from £239.3m. An

interim dividend of 1.7p is to be

paid against 1.47p last time.

electrical connectors.

body of operators might generate great volatility in prices.

It is not yet clear what criteria will be applied to applicants. The Bank of England plans to publish a Green Paper some time in the autumn, which will outline possible levels of capital adequacy, as well as stressing questions of commitment - market makers will need to make a market at all times, not just when the sun is shining - and discretion. The Bank will also take a keen interest in how a market making department in an institution relates to the rest of the business. particularly fund management.

By a process of "natural selection", many of the current list of applicants may well drop out. Others may call it a day when the discussion proposals are pulled together into a set of final instructions.

The authorities have no plans to set up a ring fence round the London market to exclude foreigners. That would be contrary to the spirit in which the new London market has been conceived. There may be some surprising new names among the chosen few. Equally there may be some surprising omissions. More nails in the coffin of the clubbable old London

Storm in a teacup for the OFT

The share price of Brooke Bond is still hovering above Unilever's cash bid just as it did above Tate & Lyle's still open offering. That leaves all the players with something to think about, but none more than the Office of Fair Trading. Having cleared Tate's bid for Brooke Bond, the OFT has been put in something of a quandary by the late transmogrification of the the white knight into Captain Birdseye, not to mention the possibility of the real thing still turning up: General Foods, for one, made an on-the-record "no comment" yesterday.

If Mr Norman Tebbit accepted OFT advice to refer Unilever's offer to the Monopolies and Mergers Commission, he would in all probability be deciding the issue before the Commission called its first witness.

That makes an already difficult decision for the OFT doubly delicate. In one sense, Unilever's bid comes in the same category as Tate's: there is little threat to competition between individual products in the UK and the businesses are complementary. It also comes in the same category as Unilever's wish to buy Allied Breweries, which was referred to the Commission. It would give considerably greater general market power in the grocery and supermarket branded goods trade to an already formidably powerful firm - vis-a-vis other producers at least. Moveover, a successful Unilver bid for

Brooke Bond might well give the green light for someone else to buy Tate and Lyle, this giving the current merger spiral another twist.

Unilever's entry is just the sort of case in normal circumstances the MMC might usefully have looked at without prejudice. Meanwhile, the Indian and (less likely) the US authorities might have something to say about putting together Brooke Bond and Uniliver's Lipton tea interests.

Barring such official impediments, the merger form book would suggest that Brooke Bond is unlikely to retain its independence in the face of two or more rival bids and that the biggest would-be buyer does not like to be bested by a smaller rival. This message already seems to have been received loud and clear in the Tate and Lyle boardroom.

takes over at Peugeot

Jacques Calvet, who has been cuts. president of Peugeot's two car divisions, Automobiles' Peugeot and Automobiles Citroen. M Calvet, a former president of the Banque Nationale de justed, in the second q Paris, joined the group in 1982 against the first quarter.

Paris (AFP) - M Jean Paul dealing with unions and the arayre yesterday announced French government to arrange

'\$10bn investment' for N Sea

either Forties or Brent, cur-

rently Britain's two largest producing fields. The broker warns, however, that some fields appear to be staying stubbornly non-com-mercial, despite considerable efforts by their operators to evaluate their potential. The Columba and Bruce fields fall into this category, Wood Mackenzie says.

Britain's oil production rose in July to slightly over 2.5 million barrels a day, after the drop in the previous month, the broker calculates. The dock strike is unlikely to affect oil production materially.

Because of the smaller nature of new development projects, the cost element in the development equation is becoming more and more important, and in some cases the level of capital commitment required may prove the biggest storebling block, Wood Mackenzie

Strikes and strong dollar push pound to record \$1.2905 low

Banking Correspondent

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Gloomy industrial news and the pound's weakness against the surging dollar dominated financial markets yesterday overshadowing another respectable set of money supply

The pound fell to a new low of \$1,2905 against the dollar before closing at \$1,2915, down 1,15 cents. The calling off of talks between the miners and the National Coal Board were partly to blame and led to some weakness against Continental currencies, but dealers said the main cause was the dollar's

According to the Bank of England's provisional esti-mates, sterling M3, the most widely watched measure of nonetary growth, increased by 0.75 per cent in the four weeks to mid-August. This was towards the top end of City expectations, but it leaves this measure comfortably within the Government's target range.

Together with the moderate growth in Mo, the narrow neasure which the Treasury considers equally importain

Nestlé and

Carnation

agree \$3bn

merger

By Michael Prest

Nestle, the Swiss food multi-

national, and Carnation, the

American food group, have agreed to one of the biggest mergers in corporate history which, if successful, will create a

powerful new force in the

Carnation's board has rec-

ommended to shareholders that

they accept the Nestlé tender offer of \$83 a share, valuing Carnation at almost \$3,000m (£2,300m). The Nestlé offer is

not conditional on a particular

number of shares being ten-

Monday was a public holiday in the United States, but Carnation's stock closed in New

York at \$75 ½ on Friday. Carnation has already granted

Nestlé an option to buy 6.4

million shares at the tender

price, Nestlé has already agreed

to by 9.4 million shares, or 27 per cent of the total equity.

from leading shareholders at the

The potential size of the new

grouping is enormous. Last year

arnation's sales of dairy, pet

food, and grocery products amounted to \$3,400m. Nestle

whose interests range from

If the offer is successful

Caruation will be merged with Nestle Holdings, a wholly-owned American subsidiary of

the main Nestlé group. Any common shares of Carnation

outstanding will be converted into the right to receive \$83 a

Nestlé Holdings controls such group companies as Beech-

Nut, the makers of chewing

gum, Libby McNeill, the can-

ners of fruit and fruit inices, and

Stouffer Corporation, an Ameri-

can food company bought from Litton Industries, in 1973.

nation of a long search by Nestlé for substantial American

assets. In July the Swiss company was forced by the US

Federal Trade Commission to

drop a \$500m offer for Cooper-Vision, a Californian maker of opthalmological pharmaceuticals and contact lenses.

In a statement yesterday Nestlé said: "Discussions with the management of Carnation

showed that, considering the complementary nature of their activities, such a move would

be of mutual interest." Agree-

ment on the merger was reached

A word of caution was

entered by a Nestl spokesman, who said that purchase of

Carnation shares would not begin until the offer had been approved by the FTC. The offer

is the biggest in Nestle's history.

on Monday.

The merger is the culmi-

worldwide sales of

dairy products to contact lenses.

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international food industry.

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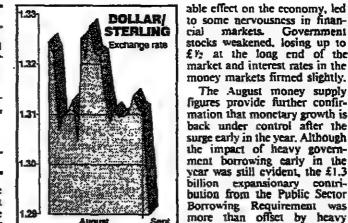
+151/4 Target ranges Feb, 1984, to April, 1985 MQ EM3

4 to 8 per cent 6 to 10 per cent Source: Bank of England

and which showed no change last month, this suggests that the Government would be reduction in interest rates but for the uncertainty over the miners' and dockworkers' disputes.

However, the authorities appear to feel that another cut in interest rates is ruled out until the present industrial problems are settled. They are concerned not to encourage a fall in interest rates which might have to be quickly reversed.

The expectation of firm American interest rates sent the dollar racing ahead as markets



threw off their summer torpor The dollar touched 2.9320 against the Deutschemark before closing in London 1.7 plennigs firmer on the day at DM2,9295. It also rose close to FrF9, The pound closed generally

lending was artificially de-pressed by £450m because of internal accounting adjustments weaker against other leading currencies, slipping 68 points against the Deutschemark to by Lloyds Bank, although they had no overall impact on the close at DM3.7875. money supply figures since the The pound's fall and concern £450m showed up in the other

that the miners' strike will begin to have an increasingly notice-

Caparo Group entered the

public arena four years muo when it bought a 21 per cent stake in LK Industrial Invest-

ments, raising this eventually to

75 per cent. The name was

changed to Caparo Industries,

which has since taken over

Central Manufacuring and

Trading, and Barton Group.

● ML Holdings rose 12p to

335p on news that Caparo

Industries has built up a 5.54

per cent share stake in the

defence engineering group. Mr

Paul described the stake yester-

day as "a positive investment,"

adding "we are interested in

ML's type of business and want

to learn about it. It is difficult to

say whether we will add to the

Mr Ralph Price, chairman of ML, said: "We are big defence contractors and the Ministry of

Defence would certainly be

interested if he mounted a full

Index falls 16 points

to some nervousness in finan-

cial markets. Government

stocks weakened, losing up to

£12 at the long end of the

market and interest rates in the

money markets firmed slightly.

figures provide further confir-

mation that monetary growth is

back under control after the surge early in the year. Although

the impact of heavy govern-ment borrowing early in the year was still evident, the £1,3

Borrowing Requirement was

more than offset by heavy government funding which totalled £1.7 billion in banking

August.

Bank lending grew by an estimated £700m in August compared with a monthly average of £1.2 billion in the previous six months. But bank

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Shop sales

confirm

rising trend

By Derek Harris

Commercial Editor

July retail sales, which

provisionally had been put at

110.7 on the seasonally adjusted

volume index, were rather higher at 111.2, according to

final figures yesterday from the Department of Trade and Industry. This was marginally

above the index for May but

was still nearly 1 per cent lower

It leaves the trend in sales

upward. In the three months to

end-July sales were 1.5 per cent

higher than in the previous

three months, seasonally ad-

justed, and nearly 4 per cent higher than in the comparable

In the latest three months

non-food sales rose nearly 3 per

cent, with clothing and footwear

leading the increases. Mixed

businesses showed a 1 per cent

rise. Food remained a static

sector
The July fall (over June)

could indicate some easing of

the upward trend in volume

sales, particularly as the effect of

increased morigage payments

had only a limited impact.

There were scars that this effect

would show more strongly in

ino August may, prove to have

underpinned that month's sales.

Additionally the department stores of the John Lewis

Partnership reported in the four

department store goods is not

high so this will represent a

Beer production in July was

down 2.6 per cent compared

with July last year when sales

benefited from long spells of hot

weather. July this year, although warm and dry in many areas.

was not as good, said the

Brewers' Society, which had

expected production to slow because of reports of reduced

sales. For the year so far production is up 0.9 per cent on

the same period of last year.

substantial volume increase.

counterparts.

than June.

period last year.

August.

The August money supply

Share prices tumbled yester-day, dismayed by the sudden collapse of the miners' peace initiative and the pound's weakness against the US dollar which could delay any further interest rate cots.

Trading was not heavy but many takeover speculators, nursing significant profits from the recent bout of bid excitement, were quick to sell shares when they realized jobbers were sharply marking down prices. The FT 30 share index, which

had risen in the last four trading days, fell 16.8 points to 838.3 points. The much more broadly based FT-SE 100 share index was lowered 21.6 points to 1,083.7 points.

Government stocks, already unsettled by sterling's poor performance on the foreign exchange market, lost further ground as the market registered disappointment with the money

supply figures. Among leading equities lowered were British Petroleum which fell 16p to 475p; Hanson Trust 10p to 225p and Imperial Chemical Industries, op to

Share prices, page 16 Market report, page 17

STOCK EXCHANGES

FT-SE 100 Index; 1083.7 down

FT-SE 100 Index: 1083.7 down 21.6 (high 1,100, low 1083 7) FT Index: 838.3 down 16.8 FT GRs: 79.43 down 0.41 FT All Share: 513.17 down 8.45 Bargains: 18.714 Datastream USM Leaders Index: 102.13 down 0.48 New York: Dow Jones Industrial Average: (latest) 1212.01 down 12.36 Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones Index

12:35 Tokyo: Nikkel Dow Jones Index 10,609.53 down 20:55 Hongkong: Hang Seng Index 947.02 up 7,60 947,02 up 7,50 Amsterdam: 165.5 unchanged Sydney: AO Index 728.8 down 1.8 Frankfurt Commerzbank index 1002.4 up 0.38 Brussels: General Index 157.86 up

Paris; CAC Index 173.2 unchanged Zurich: SKA General 306.90 unchanged

CURRENCIES

LONDON CLOSE Sterling \$1,2915 down 1,15 cent

Index 77.8 down 0.3 DM 3.7875 down 0.0068 FrF 11.61 down 0.02 Yen 315 down 1.25 Dollar Index 137.7 up 0.5

DM 2.9295 up 0.0170 **NEW YORK LATEST** Sterling \$1.2935 Dollar DM 2.9295 INTERNATIONAL ECU E0.592753

INTEREST RATES

Domestic rates: Bank base rates 101/2 Finance houses base rate 11% Discount market loans week fixed Euro-currency rates: 3 month dollar 12% - 111% 3 month DM 5% 576 3 month Fr F11% - 11%

US rates weeks ended August 25 an increase of 11.4 per cent in value of sales by annual comparison. Price inflation in Bank prime rate 13.00 Fed funds 111/4 Treasury long bond 99%, 99%, ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period August 8 to September 4 1984, inclusive: 10.805 per cent.

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Swraj Paul: "passive investment" in ML Holdings

Caparo in £13.5m bid for Fidelity

Caparo Industries, the public chairman on the death of his company 75 per cent controlled father, Jack, in December, 1982. by Mr Swraj Paul's privately- After making losses in 1981 and owned Caparo Group, has 1982, the company recovered to made a 120p-a-share cash bid a profit of £1.3m for the year to for Fidelity, the television, last March. telephone and tape recorder

company in which the Dickman family has a 12.4 per cent stake.

The bid is not agreed, but Caparo owns 32.4 per cent of Fidelity and says it wants to maintain the electronics company's share quote. When Caparo declared an

initial 8.4 per cent holding in Fidelity in June, Mr Paul described it as a "passive investment" which was not a prelude to a full-scale bid. Yesterday's offer values Fidelity

Mr Paul said: "It is a stated objective of Caparo Industries to secure growth in profits by acquisition of businesses with higher technology whose prod-ucts or market position have some built-in growth prospects, and where performance improvement is not the major The Fidelity board met last

night to discuss the bid. Mr Steven Dickman took over as

BHP denies designs on Lasmo

By Ian Griffiths The Australian industrial

and mining conglomerate, BHP, denied yesterday that it is about to launch a takeover bid for London and Scottish Marine Oil (Lasmo). Lasmo's share price rose

sharply on Friday and specu-lation over the weekend attributed this to an approach by BHP.

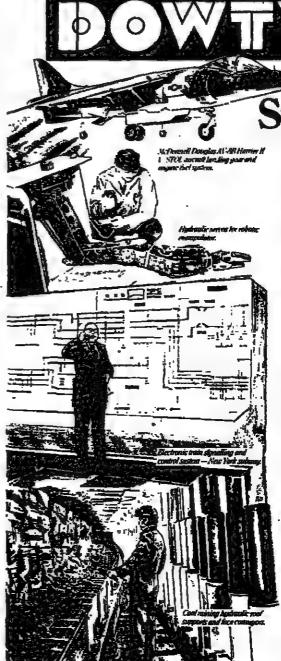
But a BHP spokesman said in Melbourge that there was no truth in the speculation and that it was too early to speculate about any foreign acquisition. Lasmo's shares dipped 20p to 318p.
One reason for the specu-

lation was that in July BHP said that it hoped to acquire a share in North Sea oil, where Lasmo has large producing interests. However, BHP would prefer to buy a share of production

rather than a producing com-pany. It would like a small cash flow from the North Sea to offset planned exploration spending in the area. The company needs to expand its petroleum income

base in Britain because the Australian government will not allow deduction of foregn exploration costs against Aus-

tralian income for tax purposes. The denial does not rule out future acquisitions. BHP is about to set up a London office to explore possible takeovers. The group is also planning to spend up to Aus\$500m (£317.5m) on a US oil company LADBROKE RACING part of the Ladbroke Group, is taking over AHK Sporting Investments in a £1,275m deal. AHK trades as Caledonian Racing with 28 betting shops. mainly in east Scotland.



Strength from technology Manufacturing and engineering investment with effective cost-control produced Aerospace. Civil market recovery under way: Mining. World market conditions difficult: leader in electronic controls for longwall roof Industrial. Marked upturn in second half; prospects improving with world economy. Electronics. Steady growth through innovation and acquisition. 1983/4 | 1982/3 Results in Brief £402m £420m Turnover £42.3m £42.1m Trading Profit Profit before tax £36.5m £36.4m £340m £324m Order book 12.1p Earnings per share 13.3p Dividend per share 3.9p Dividend cover 1983/84 Report and Accounts available from:

Tempus, page 17

PROVIDENT FINAN-CIAL, the check trading and personal loan group, yesterday announced a 10 per cent rise in pretax profits to £6.3m (£5.7m) despite making unquantified provisions against prifits for bad debts in mining areas. The June 30.

dividend rises from 3p to 3.5p for the six months' trading to June 30. Tempus, page 17
• KLEINWORT, BENSON, LONSDALE, the marchant banking group, is raising its hald-year dividend from 4.5p to Sp net. The group says results for the half-year are better than in the corresponding period last

Former bank president

his resignation as chairman of labour reductions. the private French motor group, Peugeot SA, official sources said M Parayre was replaced by M

and has been instrumental in

The oil industry is likely to

spend nearly \$10 billion (£7.7

billion) on developing fields in the proven part of the North

Sea over the rest of the 1980s, according to the stockbroking firm Wood Mackenzie in its

These new fields in the

central and northern North Sea

where all Britain's main

discoveries so far have been made - could add 900 million

barrels of reserves, the firm:

Wood Mackenzie says that

the renewed enthusiasm for the British sector of the North Sea

shown by oil companies after

the favourable tax changes in

the 1983 Budget is being

The kind of projects that are

now close to development confirm that the much-vanuted "second phase" of North Sea

activity - involving smaller discoveries and fields with

"less robust" economics - is

now well under way.

latest North Sea survey.

The Pengeot group last year lost Frfrs2.5 billion (\$284m) and has been trying to improve its operation through the labour

Survey sees 900 million barrels for UK reserves

The list of likely develop-

ment projects drawn up by Wood Mackenzie ranges in size

from the tiny Innes discovery - with 6 million barrels of

reserves and a likely capital

cost of \$40m - to the large

Sleipner and Troll gas fields in

the Norwegian sector. The capital cost of these two projects is likely to be well over \$10 billion each.

In the British sector, Wood

Mackenzie includes Shell's

Tern, Eider and Gannet fields,

BP's Andrew field, and Brit-

oil's Don and Ettrick discover-

ies as candidates for develop-

ment in the next few years. It also suggests that Phillips's Tiffany field – part of the T-Block complex of fields which

have been on and off develop-ment possibilities for the last

five years - will start producing

The largest of the British

prospects is the Tern field with

165 million barrels of reserves

– less than a tenth of the size of

• WEST GERMAN gross

national product provisionally fell almost a real 1.5 per cent, seasonally and calendar ad-justed, in the second quarter THE TIMES

STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES

Shares slump

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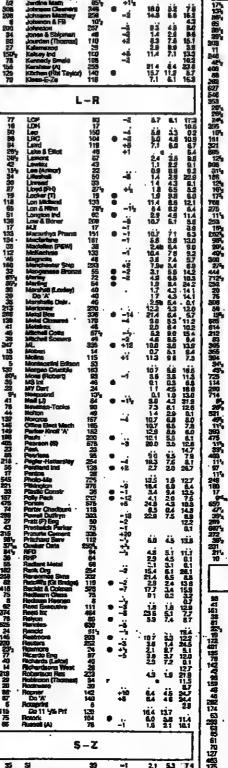
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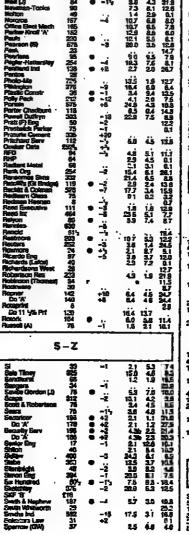
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STOCK MARKET REPORT

Weak pound and pit fears send Index down 16 points

By Derek Pain

yesterday, alarmed by the breakdown of the coal talks and the pound's weakness on the foreign exchange market against the dollar.

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At the close the FT 30 share index was standing forlornly at 838.3 points - down 16.8 points. The FT-SE 100 share index was lowered 21.6 points, dipping below the 1,100 points

mark to 1.083.7 points. Trading was again light but with jobbers starting the day with precautionary mark downs many of the speculators who have been backing the recent array of take over favourites were tempted to cash in their

Hawtin, which has meandered from engineering to dental equipment and even into banking but is now involved in protective clothing and safety equipment, gained 114 10 1512 veoterday on persistent buying Some, it seems, are expecting the company to announce a substantial acquisition.

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before they disappeared.

The dashing of the pit peace hopes was a savage blow to the market which had been quietly calculating that the TUC meeting at Brighton would produce the seemingly impossible break-

With the miners' confrontation now likely to drag on, the market was yesterday becoming increasingly, fearful about the future course of the docks

The pound's weakness added to the dejection, mainly because its crash below the important 1.30 level is seen as destroying at least for the time being the growing chances of a further cut in interest rates.

The dollar's strength is based largely on expectations that transatlantic interest rates will be forced higher, thereby putting pressure on our own rates.

Just to add to the market's tale of woe. Wall Street opened sharply lower and the money supply figures were judged disappointing. The 4 per cent

Equities slipped and slithered rise in M3 was at the top end of Grand Metropolitan, the most standstil and diversified of the breweries, was metal Closures lost 4p to 170p Even before the money cut 4p to 290p.

supply figures. Government Builders Derek Crouch restocks had been downhearted sponded to trebled profits with on sterling's weak performance. 8p gain to 82p but Wilson They fell into even deeper Connelly, another building group, fell 8p to 180p with its despair on the M3 out-turn and by the close were nursing falls interim profits recording a more up to £% at the long end of the

modest 21 per cent gain.
Profit taking, aided and abetted by the Bristol strike, The atmosphere of despondency was obviously not the clipped British Aerospace 10p climate for the takeover hopeto 343p after Monday's late fuls - both old and new.

Beer shares were flat follow-

Automotive Products continued to reflect worries about profit margins and fell a further 4p to 54p. The shares have now fallen 13p since the interim profits announcement.

The general market drift erased the value of many leaders - such as Metal Box output figure is now less than one per cent higher than in the same period last year. which felt 14p at 336p and Reckitt and Colman, interim Last month Mr David Nickson, chairman of Scottish and figures today, down 7p at \$28p. The failure of a bid - from Broken Hill Proprietary or that beer sales had not responded to the fine summer sunshine. But many felt that anyone else for that matter. Scottish, with its strong regional concentration and its big ex-

materialize for Lasmo left the shares 17p lower at 331p. Other oils were weak with British Petroleum, interim results tomorrow, losing 13p to 478p. Enterprise Oil, a recent firm spot, retreated 4p to 97p. The second instalment of 85p on the

partly paid shares is due by national groups, such as Bass Wednesday of next week. and Allied-Lyons, were continuing to do well. And after all the Elsewhere Eastern Produc streamlining of recent years the brewers are now much fitter and rose 6p to 216p as India slapped a limit on its tea exports and Bass lost 10p to 368p and further 5p to 88p on the bid

The financial shake-up is creating more than the odd ripple among the consultancies. Comprehensive Financial Services, headed by Mr Oliver Stanley, is due to arrive on the USM within the next few weeks with a £250,000 profit forecast and a clear determination to expand its acquisitions. Meanwhile, Plan Investment Group, which came to the market in April at 62½p a share, was unchanged yesterday at 55p as the Edinburgh Financial Trust lifted its share stake to 10 per cent.

Allied was marked down 5p to approach from a still unidenti-150p. Whithread eased 4p to fied party. 150p. Whithread eased 4p to 160p and Arthur Guinness, the latest to announce a price increase, fell 2p to 158p. increase, fell 2p to 158p. Scottish was lowered 112p to 107. Greenall, Whitley, the largest of the regional groups, was marked down 3p to 127p.

ing the surprisingly weak July

output figures. Production, despite the warm weather,

tumbled 2.6 per cent on the

corresponding performance of last year. The first seven month

Newcastle Breweries, warned

posure to the free trade, was not

Analysts were pointing out yesterday that high margin lager sales have continued to advance

and the more widely spread

leaner than they used to be.

typical of the industry.

Ropner, the shipping and insurance group, moved ahead on the more than doubled interim profits with the "A" shares advancing 8p to 140p. Rickardo Consulting Engin-eers', however, tumbled 5p to

Metal Closures lost 4p to 170p following and 11.5 per cent profits gain. Show group Lambert Howarth was marked up 8p to 168p in recognition of its 48

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per cent interim profits gain.

Banks succombed to the downward pressure although among the merchant bankers Kleinwort Benson edged ahead 5p to 380p on its interim statement Jobber Smith Bros rose 5p to 101p reflecting the increasingly frantic pace of the City revolution.

Insurance stocks were mainly lower, Guardian Royal lost 10p to 593p. Interim profits are du today with the market expecting

Mansfield Brewery, the family controlled group, resisted the downward drift of beer shares yesterday, recording at one time a 25p plus to 399p. L. Messel, the broker, has nominated Mansfield as one of its provin-cial beer buys and is forecasting profits of £9.6m against £8.5n for the year ending next March.

about £44.5m against £50m in this corresponding period last year. Sun Alliance, another announcing interims today, also fell 10p - to 386p. Market expectation is a dismal £11.5m against £33m.

Rowntree Macintosh, the weets group which has enjoyed heady speculative support as takeover rumours have swirled around, fell 12p. to 306p as the Swiss controlled Nestle Group, one of the City's favourite contenders for Rowntree's, announced it was bidding for the American Carnation foods J. Bibby, which has disclosed

takeover talks with Barlow Rand, fell 15p to 278p Fidelity, the hi-fi and TV roup, jumped 13p to 118p on he offer from Mr Swaj Paul's Caparo Industries.

Best performing index stock was that on-off take over favourite the Distillers Co. It lost lp to 296p.

Equity turnover on Monday was 15,817 bargains, valued at £132,346m. Gilt bargains was 2,407. Number of UK and Irish shares traded was 119.8m.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

. Interbank money held in the area of 11-10% per cent throughout the morning easing to 10%-1/2 per cent at lunchtime. ly mid-afternoon, the rate larted to fall, closing around 5-per cent literbank periods went fir-By mid-afternoon, the rate started to fall, closing around 5-4 per cent

MONEY MARKETS

mer on the weaker pound in carly dealings. They eased back in the morning and were seldom more than he firmer on balance





Sterling and other main currencies suffered heavy falls as the dollar surged forward in active trading yesterday.

The Bundesbank was known to have operated in the market in an effort to slow the dollar's advance, which was based largely on the view that US interest rates could be heading The pound tumbled to a new

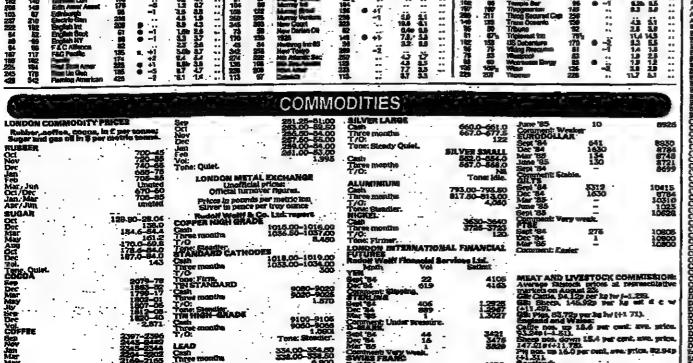
low of 1.2910 to the dollar, before closing 1.15 cents down on the day at 1.2915. There was no evidence of the Bank of England intervening in the market. Sterling also lost ground to

Continentals, weighed down by labour problems at the ports and pits. The effective exchange rate index closed 0.3 down at Some central bank inter-

vention in the morning slowed the dollar's rise, but once New York resumed after the holiday the American currency powere German marks fell from 2.9125 to 2.92595. Swiss francs

dipped from 2.4285 to 2.4475 and French francs weakened from 8.9375 to 8.9925. The yen fell from 242.55 to

∷NVESTMENT∤TRUSTS 63 SÀ -8 4.7 11.8 14.1 48 *** 9,5 19,4 -2 COMMODITIES



CRA lifts first-half net profit to A\$31m

CRA, the Australian mining company which is 50 per cent owned by Rio Tinto-Zinc the British mining finance group, raised attributable net profits for the six months to the end of June from A\$20.2m to A\$31.9m (£20.7m).

The interim dividend has been increased from 3 cents to 4 cents, where the payout is well covered by earnings per share which were 6.5 cents compared with 4.1 cents.

But CRA, which is expanding its interests in coal, iron ore and diamonds, called the first-half profits "modest" compared with the previous six months when it produced A\$49.5m. CRA said that profits in the

latest half had been adversely affected by the slump in base metal prices, losses from coal, and a strike at Broken Hill.

The profits were carned on a turnover which rose to A\$1.53bn in the comparable period last year.

In brief

LAMBERT HOWARTH ◆ LAMBERT HOWARTH GROUP: Interim dividend for half year to June 30. (Figures in £000).
 Turnover 8,484 (7,054). Pretax profit 517 (350) after depreciation 222 (182) and bank interest six (same). Tax 238 (157). Earnings per share 3.97p (4.12p).
 ◆ DAVID DIXON GROUP: Final results for 53 weeks to March 31.

O DAVID DIXON GROUP: Final results for 53 weeks to March 31. Divideed 2.28p making 4.5p (2.22p), (Figures in £000) Turnover 14.302 (13.363). Tax credit 58 (credit 29). Minorities 1 (-). Earnings per share 12.9p (loss 22p). Shares 100n up 5p.

O ARMITAGE (GEORGE) & SONS: Interim results for six months to June 30. Interim dividend 7.5p (5p). (Figures in £000) Turnover 6.644 (5.981). Operating profit 1.073 (672). Pretax profit 1.028 (550). After interest payable 45 (122). Tax 206 (193). Extraordinary credit 4 (33 credit). Earnings per share 51.4p (21.1p).

O ROPNER HOLDINGS: Results for six months to June 30. (Figures in £000). Interim dividend 2.25p (1.75p). Turnover 28.158 (19.573). Operating costs 24,040 (17.598). Investment income 167 (529). Interest payable 1,074 (10.89) Profit before tax 3.21i

529). Interest payable 1,074 (1,089). Profit before tax 3,211 (1,415). Tax 1,417 (695). Minority terests 76 (49). Earnings per share

5.8p (2.1p)

HOLDINGS:Interim results for six months to June 30. Interim dividend Ip (0.875p). (Figures in £000). Turnover 37,911 (28,162). Pretax profit 6,799 (5,622). Being nousing and contracts 5.941 (4.631) Property sales 72 (369) and rents 786 (622). Tax 2.855 (2,080).

Earnings per share 9. lp (8.3p).

ROBINSON BROS (RYDER CREEN): Interim results 26 weeks to June 30. (Figures in £000). Group turnover 8.768 (8.351). Pretax profit

300 (798). Tax 142 (190).

HARVEY & THOMPSON:
Results for year to June 30.
Dividends 2p making 3.5p (single dividend 1.5p). (Figures in £000)
Turnover 1.332 (1,015). Trading
profit 527 (262). Interest 123 (100).
Pretax profit 404 (162). Tax 109 (1).
Extraordinary credit nil (94).
Earnings per share 9.37 (5.11p).
Shares 116 down 5. • SOMPORTEX HOLDINGS

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SOMPORTEX HOLDINGS:
Dividend 1p for year 10 April 3.
Figures in £000. Group turnover
4,566 (4,638). Pretax profit 104 (lss
396). Tax 58 (credit 105). Extraordinary credit 56 (nil). Earnings for share 1.65 (10.38p loss).

METAL CLOSURES: Interim dividend 2.2p (same) for half year to June 30. Figures in £000 Group turnover 44,899 (38,506). Profit before tax 3,374 (3,029). Tax 1,385 (1,304) Minority interest 305 (251). Profit attributable 1,684 (1,474). Earnings per share 7.9p (6,9p).

SHARPE & FISHER: Interim dividend 0.61p (0.51p adjusted) for six months to June 30. Figures in £000. Sales 23,371 (19,675). Pretax profit 779 (575) being merchanting 399 (262) and dividend 380 (313). Tax 312 (167). Earning per share 2.4p (2.1p adjusted). Shares 63p down 1p.

WALL STREET

Prices opened lower in active trading yesterday. The Dow Jones Industrial Average, which gained 1.10 on Friday, was down 6.95 to 1,217.42 shortly after the market opened follow-ing the Labour Day holiday

Declines led advances 647-

According to Mr Newton Zinder of E F Hutton, this fourday week will be important Mr Zinder's theory, correct in

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278 among the 1,312 issues

19 of the past 24 years, says if the Dow Jones Industrial Average gains this week, the market will be higher at the end of the month. But if it loses, prices will be lower

Mr Paul Levinson has an

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Nurdin raises volume

survival at Nurdin & Peacock. The £900,000 is to be paid is clearly demonstrated by yesterday's interim results. The through 1.8 million Prestwich shares, only to the extent that Palan makes profits of £500,000 over the next two years. Meanwhile Mr Levinson business is volume driven with the necessary sacrifices being increased by more than 10 per to become chairman of cent to £264.7m while pretax Prestwich on a three-year contract at £50,000 a year, profits could only manage an index-linked. increase of less than 1 per cent

He will be free to compete with Palan outside the United Kingdom.

take, given the ferocious competition in the industry. Shareholders should oppose Margins are being slashed in an the deal at the meeting on September 26 to create the effort to stave off the threat extra shares. from the multiples. In these conditions volume is all im-

The key word to continued

the cash and carry wholesaler.

made at the margin. Turnover

It is an essential approach to

portant if the business is to stay

So far the ploy has worked

and Nurdin's quest for volume has been aided by its expansion

programme, both in terms of

new warehaouses and in-

creased square footage at

existing locations. This is now

Isowing and it will become

even more important to gener-

ate genuine volume growth.

A product which might

Band. It was introduced in July

and has already become the

warehouses and the indepen-

volume only compensiates for

lost margins. The shares closed

prove difficult to resist.

Prestwich Parker

The plan for Prestwich Parker

to take over Palan Entertain-

ment Corporation for £900,000

looks far 100 generous. Palan deals in media rights

for cinema, video and tele-vision. It was formed only last

to £3.5m.

RTZ

CRA's first-half profits increase of 50 per cent to A\$31.9m is a reminder that this should be a vintage year for Rio Tinto-Zinc. In a weighty study made public yesterday but sent to fund managers a month ago, the stockbrokers Sheppards and hase forecast that the mining finance house's attributable profits for 1984 would be up 14

come to the company's rescue is its own brand cigarette, Red per cent to £197m, But the study is more cautious about the longer run. It points out that many of brand leader in the Nurdin RTZ's major early operations, chain. The product is attracting additional customers into the such as copper, lead and zinc, are cyclical and mature; that the management, good as it is, dent retailers report it is boosting their own businesses, seems not to understand fully However, it remains difficult that divestments are necessary (perhaps that Atlas Steel part of to see where the real profits Rio Algom, or Anglesey Alu-minium) to maintain momengrowth at Nurdin will come from. The company is running to stand still and increased tum; and that the shift in the group's centre of gravity from the older cyclical businesses to newer ones with higher earndown 4p to 124p and raise little excitement. The price is backed, though, by some very ings quality is incomplete. Nevertheless, RTZ deserves credit for the extent to which it attractive properties. They might just provoke a bid which, if it came in cash, might

has avoided these pitfalls so far. While the market still thinks of the company as a coppper stock, the biggest single source of earnings is RTZ Borax, eclipsing even the whole of CRA. And, on last year's basis RTZ Industries, which brings together the interests, was the cement

second biggest. These assets have two big advantages. First, they are not January: in the first five months it lost £63,128 on sales of £148,275, of which £47,407 subject to the dismal fluctuations and low prices which characterize base metals. were to a company in which Second, a much lower pro-

in market battle portion of their earnings goes to minorities. Thus the less cyclical element in RTZ's

earnings has risen steeply in recent years. CRA is also moving in this direction, particularly by diversifying into diamonds and aluminium. But there is no easy solution to the problem posed by its long-term dependence on Japan.

Provident Financial

News that the miners' strike had cost Cattle's, the personal loan specialists, about £250,000 in provisions, created a ghoulish sense of anticipation ahead of the interim figures from Provident Financial, a similar but far larger group.

10 per cent ahead, the dividend goes up by more than 16 per cent. The Provident board went to great lengths yesterday to stress just how relaxed a view it was taking of the

dispute. Yes, there had been provisions, but they were not material, Of 500 branches, only about 40 had mounted serious arrears. Less than 2 per cent of

the customer base - perhaps 20,000 clients - were involved. Underlying this picture is the discovery that the miners presently enjoy greater finan-cial resources than had been imagined; that many families have more than just a miner as an income source; and that the black economy is a flourishing

sub-culture Investors should take their cue from Provident's determination to concentrate on the medium-term - most mining customers should return in due course to normal spending and payment patterns - and note that the group's arrears pos-ition is slowly improving, after the high jobless shock earlier

Hence previous bad debt provisions may prove available for write back into the profit and loss account. If brokers' estimates of a floating profit pool of £20m are corret, then continued profits - and dividend - growth looks assured. A third of debt is now funded at fixed rates, and this should help margins especially since loan costs never altered as interest rates fell. The shares are a hold at 160p.

Strike has little effect on Crouch and Dowty

By Graham Searjeant

nected with different parts of the British coalmining industry encouraging despite the imminent threat of a US miners' reported yesterday that the prolonged mining dispute was having limited effect on them. In Britain, the company is restricted by union agreement

Peterborough-based to extracting its contracted monthly tonnage of coal, which is then stockpiled on size but Derek Croach, which has substantial open cast mining contracts with the National paid for by the NCB. If bad Coal Board besides other weather affected one month's business, made a much im-proved profit of £516,000 pretax in the first six months, extradition rate, however, Crouch would not be able to make up its contracted tonnage compared with £177,000 for the in succeeding months. comparable six months last year (£886,000 for the whole of 1983) an international mining ma-chinery business, says in its annual report that the miners' on a 13 per cent higher turnover of £32.5m_

Mr Derek Crouch, the chairman, said profits were benefit-ing from action taken over the past few years. The company has high hopes for a clip-on car trailer with retractable wheels

So far, however, export orders for Indonesia, Australia and South Africa have helped replace NCB work and none of the group's mining machinery subsidiaries has had to work on now being launched. In the United States, a small increase in coal prices has short time.

Discount rate rise hits Italian shares

The Dowty Group, which has

strike makes progress uncertain.

Milan share prices fell sharply yeaterday after the unexpected one percentage point increase, to 16.5 per cent, in Italy's official discount rate. Heavy sales affected all sectors and took the market index down 2 per cent after one hour The rate was raised after demand for banking credits exceeded fixed ceilings in July

Loss turned into £439,000 profit at Brook Street

Brook Street Bureau, the employment agency, made a strong turn round from losses to year. On sales up 37 per cent, it made pretax profits of £439,000 against a £131,000 loss in the

Brook Street, which has halved its number of branches to 100 recently, now intends to open 10 new branches this year. An Interim dividend of 1p is to be paid.

corresponding period last year.

Base Lending Rates

ABN Bank . Adam & Company 101:96 Continental Trust C. Hoare & Co Lloyds Bank Midland Bank ... Nat Westminster 101:96 Citibank NA

7 day deposits on sums of budget £10,000, 71% £10,000 up to £50,000, 8% £50,000 and over, 81,4%

Property Security **Investment Trust**

Profit Before Tax Up Dividend Increase

Extracts from the statement by the Chairman, Mr. A. R. Perry.

Profit before tax rose from £3.1 million to £4.0 million.

Net asset value £1.70p per share.

Developments at Tyne Tunnel, Gravesend and

Overseas developments in Belgium and Florida. Ordinary dividend up by 25%.

Results for the year ended 31st March 1984

£'000s	1984	1983	1982
Rents receivable	6,097	5,613	5,370
Net property income	5,369	4,904	4,885
Profit before tax	4,044	3,108	2,035
Ordinary dividend per share	r 2.25p	1.8p	1.44p
Share Capital and reserves	87,346	73,170	48,749

from the Secretaries, W. H. Stantiford & Co. 1 Love Lane, are lawn, or will be, that with the Hamstrer of Companies and qualified auditors' report except for a possible have has charge a made ships. It was significant that the

only noteworthy performances came from two British pro-

fessionals, a silver medal for

Tony Doyle in the 5,000 metres

individual pursuit and a sixth place by Robert Millar in last Sunday's road race in Bar-

Doyle prepared for the world

championships with his usual

thoroughness, spending ing

hours training on the wood

nimself with Barcelona's simi-

larly surfaced municipal Velo-

drome, Doyle, from Ashford, in

Middlesex, has been the most

professional of the home-based riders since he left the amateur

He was unlucky last week to

come up against Hans-Hendrik

Oersted, of Denmark, who

raced faster than any pursuiter had done to win the title. It now

seems likely that the 29-year-old

Dane will attack the world one

Dovle will be content to link

Australian friend. - the winner

BASKETBALL

England hit by

withdrawals

England's senior men's team face possibly their sternest-ever task in

the European championships chal-

lenge round, which begins in Helsinki on Friday.

The team, coached by Bill Beswick with Bob Mitchell his assistant, face Poland, Finland.

Hungary. Bulgaria and Greece in their group. With the team badly affected by withdrawals and players declaring themselves unavailable

for selection, the prospect of England making any impression

SQUAD: P Sampson (captain Crystel Palace)
D Lloyd (Crystel Palace); M Bett (Crystel
Palace); G Gardner (Manchaster); P James (Lacastiar); F Skapelnon (Colchaster); S O Shaa (Lacaster); R Peers (Manchaster); Plangton (Worslung); K Penny (Warrington).

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Economic commentary by Graham Searjeant

Partners who could hold the key to development coffers

How is the flow of funds from more precarious. Direct private other, mostly for specific procapital-rich economies to resource-rich developing economcountries are transferring capitemporary financial crises historically, must surely eventually be reversed. Yet it is far from clear whether the mechanisms operating in recent years will achieve that.

If the developing world is to live up to its name and grow at a faster pace than the world run, then we should expect there to be net capital flows from the developed to the developing countries and we should probably expect the developing world to run a trade deficit so that capital imports are greater than their dividend and interest payments.

This has been the historic pattern for countries open to world trade. When a country's potential for investment is so high in proportion to its existing money economy that domestic savings cannot keep pace the market should bring in invest-ment capital. As an economy matures, this process gradually unwinds. Investment falls as a proportion of existing output, cutting the need for a trade deficit. Interest and dividend payments and domestic savings rise in comparison with capital needs until the country becomes

a capital exporter. There are variations on this theme. In a developing economy with a larger base, such as carly postwar Japan or modern India, the flows may be reduced by a combination of exchange controls and a social-monetary regime that boosts savings or state intervention to boost investment artificially relative to consumption. On the other side, an economy that should be maturing may continue to rely on capital imports to pay for government profligacy. But the basic need for capital to flow from the financial centres to the resource-rich developing countries remains, whether those resources are in the ground, or in poor people anxious to better

The mechanism for these

investment or individual portfolio investment has diminies o be revived? For the present ished in relative terms for crisis in which the poorer political reasons as investors feared scizure of exchange controls and newly independent countries in particular railed against foreign ownership.

Official multilateral flows, chiefly through the Inter-national Monetary Fund and the World Bank, beiped to fill that breach. But they became politically closged, susceptible to the pressures of events rather than economic judgements. They were, as a result, quite unable to cope with the dramatic shift of resources to Opec and the gradual development from that of a concentration of free financial resources in cash shifting round the international financial

The World Bank is moving towards operating with private investors

Private bankers, who mobilized the Opec billions and hot money to permit unprecedented development in the later seventies, have now had their limitations exposed by the effects of high interest rates on the ability of Third World borrowers to pay and of their own balance sheets to take the strain. The debt crisis and sentiment have dried up that

The resolution of second round debt rescheduling should pave the way for a return of net banking credits, but they are unlikely to be on the same scale as before and are now seen to ahve a tendency to pronounce rather than soften financial

A return to more rapid longterm growth in the developing world will almost certainly require some revival in all three sources. As recent IMF practice and World Bank thinking has suggested, that is only likely to happen if they operate in much flows has become progressively closer partnership with each jects and bus

The role of the IMF in orchestrating commercial banks and operating in tandem with them is a hopeful sign for the future. IMF officials may not appreciat their new role as the equivalent of reporting auditors in private cash-raising, but their future role must lie in that direction. It may not be too long before IMF reports, letters of intent or World Bank imprimaturs form a regular feature of prospectuses for a revival of fixed rate bond issue as well as the syndicated variable rate loans that have caused, so much recently

The IMF and World Bank themselves are unlikely to be allowed a significant expansion of resorces until we have expunged the era of vague balance of payments finance unconnected to investment and too often a palliative for governments' inability to balance their books.

Eventually, however, the international agencies will need more funds for counter-cyclical loans to help primary producers through bad times and to help new countries on the early steps of the economic ladder.

The colonial era should now be sufficiently a thing of the past for 50-50 foreign ownership to be uncontroversial, with outside investors in combination either with local private investors or the state. The World Bank's thinking prodded by the United States, is moving rapidly in the direction of operating jointly with private investors.

Much greater emphasis should be placed on establishing free networks that combine mutual fund-investment trusts in financial centres with regional or national equivalents in developing countries. The World Bank can help in coordinating tax agreements and exchange control freedoms for such funds to permit them

By such developments, rather than grand plans, will the capital start flowing again in more diversified and therefore more stable ways?

APPOINTMENTS

New deputy group chief for Walter Lawrence

Walter Lawrence: Mr T. J. C. Mawby, group finance director, becomes deputy group manag-ing director. He is succeeded as group finance director by Mr J. A. Thompson, financial director at Walter Lawrence Construction for three years and company secretary at Walter

Central Independent Television: Mr John Jackson has taken up the new post of deputy

Thom EMI: Dr K. W. Gray has been made research direc-

Electra Investment Trust: Mr Clive Clague and Mr Hugh Mamford have become direc-

London Shop Property Trust: Mr D. E. H. Chapman has been appointed a director. Gallaher Tobacco: Mr P. R. Burchell has become financial

director.

Albion Film Investments N.V. (AFI): Lord Harlech is to become chairman of the company, which is being formed to enable European investors to participate in film production jointly with leading US studios.

Physiological Instrumen-Physiological Instrumen-tation: Dr D. Parker has been

hour record of Francesco Moser in Mexico City later this year, elected chairman of Physiological Instrumentation (PI) after its merger with Novametrix Medical Systems, PI's board has up again with Danny Clark, his of the city centre race in Cardiff been reconstructed. Mr R. J. Newton, Dr J. Spreadborough, Mr C. G. Blakey and Mr D. N. Halsall bave resigned. Dr last Monday - for another lucrative season on the six-day circuit in Europe. Part of Parker continues as research Doyle's success is due to his sponsorship by the Ready Mix development director, and Mr Concrete Company, as well as R. W. Lewis continues as managing director, Mr Wynford to the assistance with motor-

Vaughan-Thomas is to continue as a non-executive director. The following have been elected to the board: Mr Louis Pellegrino, president and chairman of the board of Novametrix; Mr William Lacourciere, executive vice-president and chief operating officer of Novametrix, Mr John Ramadel, treasurer and controller of Novametrix, and Mr Roger Lloyd, partner. Haythe & Curley.

Amaigamated Foods: Mr Brian Matthes joins the company as national retail sales manager with overall responsi-bility for the retail sales division. Retail sales will be divided into four regions, each headed by a regional sales director - Mr D. V. Nicholis North-east); Mr D. G. Kingsland (North-west): Mr M. K. Heaven (Midlands) and Mr J. L. Mountain (South).

Now is the time for youngsters to show what they can do

By John Wilcockson

paced training from Paul Wingrave, And in Barcelona, he The hundreds of junior and school age cyclists who are taking part this week in the had the benefit of advice and national track championships in Leicester can look forward to a coaching from Mick Bennett, the former Olympic medal future of great opportunity after the failure by their senior colleagues at the Olympic Millar said during his fine Games and world champion-

Tour de France this year that he would prepare specifically for the world championship road race in which he has always performed well. The Glaswe-gian showed his lack of real term support on Sunday. The only other British starters were Phil Bayton and Bob Downs. who did not survive beyond half distance. This meant that Millar was forced to make a long, lone chase when a break of 12 rides went clear on the decisive eleventh lap.

track at Leicester to familiarise It was this chase, combined with an carlier elfort after a puncture that left Millar short of strength when Claude Criquielion, of Belgium, made his winning break 21 kilometres from the end of the 255 kilometre race,

The new world champion received excellent support from well coordinated Belgian team, which started the race with Criquielion and Lucien Vanimpe as co-leaders. When Vanimpe crashed at the start of lap thirteen, the 27-year-old Criquielion was given an opening that even his most ardent fans thought he was not capable of taking.

If a rider of Millor's ability is to be given a similar chance more British professionals must be prepared to participate in the world title race. Their main problem is the lack of long races in the home calendar. "The



Millar: Lone chase

professional class has come on a lot over the past two years, but riders must come to the worlds (championships) if we are going to improve our position even

Things are different with the British amateurs, it has been 100 casy 10 gain selections for recent world championships and Olympics and consequently there has been no incentive to perform well in the championship events. "I think it was right year that no girls were selected for the pursuit, "com-mented Mrs Eileen Gray, the president of the British Cycling Federation. "Their times were not good enough even to qualify. If they think they are not going to get selection in the future then they are going to have to work much harder to reach world standards."

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RUGBY LEAGUE

Wigan's 'biting' protest

Wigan will today send an official protest to the Rugby League after allegations of eye-gouging and biting during last Saturday's game between Castleford and Wigan. The matter was discussed last night at Wigan's board meeting and the sinding of a board meeting, and the sending of a protest letter was recommended by the chairman, Jack Hilton, who was one of several directors who

attended last Saturday's match.
There were two incidents in the game which caused fury in the Wigan ranks. Pendlebury, the Wigan forward, was sent off after Wigan forward, was sent of after chasing Gary Connell, a Castleford forward. As Pendlebury left the field he was pointing at a bleeding eye and was immediately sent to hospital in Wakefield, Pendlebury had five streets placed in an eyelid

and treatment to a damaged tear

Later in the game Case, the Wigan international foreward, was penalized for a foul on Connell and pointed angrily to alleged teeth marks on his forearm.

"This gouging is a terrible business". Mr Hilton said. "An Australian player. Boyd, was suspended for 15 months for this sort of thing." Pendlebury and West, the Wigan

captain, and New Zealand inter-national, will appear before the disciplinary committee next week. A spokesman for Castleford, asked about the Wigan allegations. said: "It is not club policy to discuss?" such matters

French set to visit Japan next month By David Hands Rugby Correspondent

RUGBY UNION

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Jerome Gallion resumes his postition as France's premier scrum half when the French visit Japan later this month, Gallion was forced by injury to miss his country's tour to New Zealand during the summer when it was suggested by some commentators that his presence might have reversed the result of the first international which the All first international Blacks won 10-9.

Blacks won 10-9.

The tour begins on September 23 and the five match itinerary includes two internationals with Japan at Osaka on September 30 and Tokio on October 7, Both those games will be refereed by Fred Howard, of Liverpool, who made such a good impression with his handling of last season's triple crown game between Ireland and Scotland.

France will be without two France will be without two outstanding players. Godorniou at centre and Joinel (back row) both of whom are injured, but the strength of their party should prove too much for Japan, Indeed, the nature of the French build-up during the first half of the season indicates why they should be the most feared team in the international championship in the second half.

Not only are all of Jast season's

in the second half.

Not only are all of last season's talented team available once more, but the younger members have the extra experience derived from touring together, some in New Zealand, some in Japan. Additional Zealand, some in Japan. Additional combinations if required may be tried in the Fédéracion Internationale de Rugby Amateur (FIRA) game with Tunisia on October 6 and promising uncapped players in the B international with Wales on November 10. Playing Romania in Bucharest on November 11 will test the certain count before the first the senior squad before the first championship match with Wales in

Paris on January 19
In contrast, England's season provides a series of peaks without the obvious swell of talent from the obvious swell of talent from which France may draw. It is fair to include a Romania among those peaks, though the fact that they play England on January 5 at Twickenham midway through their winter rest period will work against them. It will be interesting to see whether all of Cambridge University's England squad members. Bailey, Smith and Andrew, are included in the proposed England backs practice on September 16. At

backs practice on September 16. At the moment Cambridge are on tour in the United States, among them Ewebank, the 6ft 5in lock who did so well in last season's University match.

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Newcastle

soon in

trouble

at Arsenal

By Stuart Jones

Football Correspondent

Arsenal taught Newcastle United

a hard lesson about life in the first division, at Highbury last night.

Newcastle may have arrived chetching the title of parent League leaders and they may have been the first to make an impact. Carney being booked for fouling Nicholas in the fifth minute, but the rest of the

Newcastie Utd.

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Rain drops in as a

welcome relief at

Flushing Meadow

From Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondent, Flushing Meadot

Rain stopped play on the The singles fields had been

seventh day of the United reduced to digestible pro-

States champiouships and also portions when the tournament

TENNIS

deferred the start on the eighth

day. For two reasons, though,

such interruptions are not

entirely unwelcome, Rain does

dissipate the heat and humidity

traditionally associated with the

championships - and it is

always engaging to see a posse

of youngsters wandering about

the stadium court using squee-

three days, weather permitting,

and the men's doubles is supposed to finish on Friday, It

is unusual to have three "finals"

days in the course of a 13-day

tournament; but the unusual is

commonplace here, primarily

television time as they can.

Little chance of averting strike by Spaniards on Sunday

nationwide football strike, ground scheduled to begin on Sunday, seemed almost nil here yesterday. Members of the Spanish Football Association (AFE), the players' trade union, voted overwhemingly at a meeting on Monday to refuse to step on to the pitch until their demands

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The players want more favourable income tax regulations, more complete social security coverage, a say in bargaining related to their own contracts, prompt payment of long overdue money owed by some clubs to players, a share in television rights, the removal of maximum age limits for players and other benefits. The scheme would benefit not only the high paid stars, but minor league: players as well.

It will be up to the Spanish administration, rather than the football clubs, to meet many of the demands. However, at the assembly attended by over 500 players, from which journalists were barred, it was decided to orient the thrust of the strike officially against the clubs and the Spanish Football Federation (EEF), in order to avoid possible legal complications which might arise from a frontal attack on the administration.

The committee of professional football leagues was expected to take up the strike threat at its regular meeting scheduled for today. Its president, Manuel Vega, said the decision to strike "goes against the clubs. One thing I'm sure of the clubs. One thing I'm sure of, is that we've all lost our way. Many of the things they're asking for are reasonable, but they're not things that are up to. the clubs, so it doesn't make sense for the players to take it

out on the clubs". The president of the Spanish Federation, S Augustin Dominguez, commented that when there was a football strike in Uruguay which lasted more than one year, some "fantastic" one, they were defeated by a players ended up working as united front on the part of the

From Harry Debelius, Madrid

The chances of averting a hasn't been able to get off the

rid. S. lanis de Carlos, said the decision by the players union puts football in the most critical stare in its whole history. This sport was already going through very hard times. and now it could end up in an interestable situation. The public wasn't taken into account and its reaction to this decision could be dangerous. Let's not kill the goose that lays the

golden egg".

The president of R Betis, of Seville, Gerardo Martinez, said: This strike is playing a dangerous game with the fans. They'll be spending Sunday at the beach and, in the winter by he fireside, They might even take to attending other sports. take to attending other sports

The president of AFE. Juan Jose friarte, told reporters after the meeting: "They forced us to take this step, since there was no dialogue either on the part of the football hierarcy, nor the administration. He added: "we're going to be getting a lot of pressure, but we footballers already know from past experience what will happen to us if we give in now.

It was the sixth time since 1978 that the association's members threatened to walk off the playing fields. However, if the strike takes effect, it will be represent only the third actual

In 1980, the players renewed their threat to deprive the nation of football, but they were stymied by a Labour Ministry ruling that such a strike would

In 1982 they actually managed to shut down the stadiums for two weeks and won promises from the clubs to pay up the players' back pay. In 1982 again the footballers warned that they would refuse to play but in that final attempt before the present

common labourers, and since clubs and waning support that time Uruguayan football within their own ranks. Whiteside recalled to face Chelsea

game for the first time this season included in a squad of 13.

When Manchester United entertain Cyrille Regis, the West Cheisea at Old Trafford tonight. The Northern treland forward replaces Brazil, the Scodand international, who damaged an ankle during United's match at Ipswich Town on Saturday.

United, who have drawn all three of their games this season, will start the match with their Dutch international midfield player.

Muhren, on the substitute's beach. John Bumstead is set to make his first league appearance of the season for Chelsea. The midfield player has missed the London ciph's opening three games in the first division, after their promotion last season because of a cut ankle suffered during a pre-season friendly match. Burnstead replaces Dale Jasper, who sustained an Achilles tendon injury during Chelsea's dull tele-vised home defeat by Everion last;

Friday.
The Weish internationals, Jones and Thomas, who have made only one fleeting appearance each from the substitute's bench this season despite their considerable first



Norman Whiteside starts a league division experience, have also been Cyrille Regis, the West Brouwich Albina forward, and Ally Robert-sons a defender, will need fitness tests before their club's game at Norseich City. Regis has a groin strain and Robertson a leg injury.

MONDAY'S RESULTS.

GCLA LEAGUE Bob Lord Trophy: first round, Sing Degenhers 1. Weymouth 1: Gatesheed 1. Scarborough 1. Estimates LEAGUE Presider division: Bogset Rogis, 3. Barting 2: Croydon 5. Leytonstone and Word 1. and more 1. MONTHERN PRESMER LEAGUE Granifium 1, Madock 2, Mossiny 8, Horwich 2. MARIOCE Z. MOSSINY 9, FORMOR A.
SOUTFRETH LEAGUE: Cop. first round:
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Rayshem 1, Gosport 1; Labosativ 1, Shapshid
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Dictaster 1; Waterfoortle 2, Andover 0.

FAI YOUTH CUP: Preliminary round: Bradford City 4, Rochdate 0.

NORTH AMERICAN SOCCER LEASUE: Chicago 3, Vancouver 1; Toronto 2, Mirrosota 0; Councis 4, Golden Boy 3. FOOTBALL COMBINATIONS Chaines 2,

Last night's results City 1: Created Town 1; Biscichum Romen 1; Notic Courty 0, Burneley 2; Widelerhampton Wanderers 2 Manchester City 0.

MELS CAPP. First round, second leg-Boursessouth 0, Aldershot 1) Bristol Rower's Swinchon Town 1; Constricting United 1; Brendford C Cartiff City 2, Exists City 0; Chasterfield 1, Halifes Town 2; Colchester United 0, Gillinghem 2; Crewe Asicander 0, Burneley 3; Holf City 4, Uncoln City 1; Middelestrough 2, Brendford City 2; Midseeld 4, Reading 3; Reseport County 4, Bristol City 3; Northampico Town 0, Cryste Palace 8; Asickport County 2; Rotherham United 4, 1; Sincisport County 2; Rotherham United 4, 1; Sincisport County 2; Rotherham United 4, Artistet 2; Windelman City 1; Wigsen Artistet 2; Windelman C Windelman 1; Porternouth 9; York City 3, Donzasser Rowers 6.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP: Fourth towns: Whiteside: replaces Brazil

Denmark lose Arnesen for Austrian match

Copenhagen (AFP) - Denmark, scandal the team picked the trainer, unlucky not to reach the final of the Guy. Thys, is regarded as exper-European Championships in June, mental and Belgian officalls say the will be without their outstanding game will be used as a test for their midfield player, Frank Arnesen, for opening World Cup qualifier against European Championships in June, will be without their outstanding midfield player, Frank Amesen, for

midfield player, Frank Arnesen, for a World Cup warm-up match against Austria on September 12. Their West German manager, Sepp Pontick has brought in four newcomers and dropped seven of the European Championship squad, Arnesen and Alian Simothen because of injuries. Arnesen pulled a muscle playing for his Relytin side. muscle playing for his Belgian side. Anderlecht, last week and Simonson s still recovering after breaking his leg in the opening Chamionship match against France in Paris.

Kim Christofte, Henrik Eigenbrod. Mogens Hansen and Flemming Christensen are the sunsupped players in the squad of 16. The Danes play Norway light on September 26 in their first match in this European group six. Incland play the Soviet Union and Norway play Switzerland in the first group matches on September 12.
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O Brussels (Reuter) - A Johns mexperienced Belgian team will face Argentina here tonight in the second match of the South Americans John Match to

Albania on October 17.

Making his debut will be 19-year-old forward. Marc de Grijse of Bruges. Jacues Munarou, capped only three times, will be in goal instead of Jean Marie Pfaff, the ing from a groin operation and his involvement in a car accident in which a nun was-killed at the

BELGRIBE: J Munaron, G Grun, I. Clysters, M de Wolf, M Basoke, V Solfo, R Vandersycken, J Cedemans, F Verchuteren, A Czerplatyradd, M de Gribe. ARGENTRIA: L. Inies, J. Cemino, J. Brown, & Trossero, O. Ruggeri, M. Russo, J. Ponos, R. Bochici, M. Trobbieri, J. Burruchega, R. Gerrot.

● Zurich (Reuter) - Lesotho, a member of the African Football Confederation (CAF), have been expelled from the 1986 World Cup. The International Football Federation: [FIFA) said yesterday the Cup organizing committee had taken the decision following Lesotho's refusal to play their opening sway omitiving match in Madagascar on August 26 because they said their team was not ready. Madagascar through to the With many Belgian players with therefore went through to the banned from the national side group one qualifying competition.



FOOTBALL

Almost there: Sheedy may tonight prove his fitness for a

Sheedy could return in international match

Kevin Sheedy is included in the Republic of Ireland squad for the World Cup qualifying match against the Soviet Union next week even though he has not played since last

The Everton midfield player injured his leg playing against Liverpool in the Milk Cup final and was then prevented from starting the new season by a twisted anicle. But Sheedy is due to play in a reserve game today ... Liverpool's midfield

Keltz: misunderstanding

Kaltz is

back in

training

Conter Netzer, the Hamburg

Gunter Neizer, the Hamburg manager who cut short a visit to Belgium to sort out the problem, said that there had been a mismaderstanding at a storay team meeting following Saturday's 2-0 cup defeat by the amateur club Geislingen "the trainer wanted to memoke Keite bet Keite took it the

provoke Kaltz, but Kaltz took it the wrong way", he said.

Happel and that he had suspended Kaltz, aged 31, and capped 69 times for West Germany, until he sorted out his private life. He said Kaltz, who is going through diverce proceedings, has forgotten how to play football since finding a statistical content.

In Belgium Netzer completed the signing of the standard Liege defender Gerald Plessers In

suspended from soccer until January

squad after being recalled for the friendly intermational against Israel in April. With the Manchester United forward Stapleton unfit, the side is likely to be captained by Grealish, of West Brornwich Albion, apprent of Philambe McCoraph (Notis County). Begin (Liverpool). McCarthy (Marchester Chy), Moran (Manchester thinse), O'Leary (Arisans), Duvine planwich), O'Teapun (Brightoo), Hughen (Rountiness Holson), Windows (Liverpool), Brady (Brist-Mart), Byron (Stamber) (West Brownich Albior), Bohmon (Liverpool), If Wester (Doorte), K O'Castagrien (Liverpool), In Wester (Doorte), K O'Castagrien (Liverpool), Indianant (Liverpool), K O'Castagrien (Liverpool), Indianant (Liverpool), K O'Castagrien (Liverpool), Indianant (Liverpool), K O'Castagrien (Liverpool), K O'Castagr

Scots send protest message to Spain The Scottish Football Association have protested to both the Spanish FA and Barcelona because Steve Scotland view next week's inter-

Archibald has not been released by the club for Scotland's international match against Yugoslavia at Hampdon Park next Wednesday. Barcelona want the former Aberdeen and Tottembam Hotspur forward to play for them next Tuesday and Ernie Walker, the SFA secretary has telexed the Spanish FA and Barcelona to express "concern and disappointment at the decision

When the Scotland manager, Jock, Stein, announced his squad on Monday he said he believed that Scotland would have first call on

mational as important preparation for World Cup qualifying games later this season Mr Walker said: "It is particularly

ARSENAL: P Jennings: V Anderson, Barson, B Tabot, D O'Leary, T Caxon, Robson, C Nicholas, P Mariner, A Woodook P Darris, MENCASTLE UNITED: K Cent; M Brown, Ryen, S Carriey, B Roader, W Satinders, McDeraid, K Wharlon, C Waddle, P Beardsie D McCreary, Reference i Bornés, Bischestons.

disappointing that a leading Spanish club should do this when one of our main competitors in our World Can section will be Spain, I could have better understood if Barcelona had been involved in a competitive match but, as we understand it, it is only a testimonial game."

Archibald may yet, become available, however, if the players' arrice in Spain stretches into next

Wallace recalls Berwick Jock Wallace will remind his concede a goal in the League Cup, is

Jock Wallace will remind his Rangers players to beware of the underdog when they visit Cowdenbeath in defence of the Skol sponsored League Cup today.

The Rangers manager is better qualified than most to discuss cup shocks – he was captain of the Berwick Rangers team who beat Hamburg, (Reuter) - The Ham-burg defender Manfred Kaltz, suspended indefinitely by trainer Ernst Happel on Monday after a shock defeat in the West German Cui, resumed training yesterday as club officials spoke of a misunder-Rangers in the great cup upset of

Wallace admitted yesterday that he has barking orders of "remen Berwick" to his men, who are lavournes to reach the semi-final. He said: "I don't want anything like the Berwick result to happen again. The players have been well warned that their attitude must be

absolutely correct.

"Cowdenbeath deserve respect fro scoring against St Mirren in the last round, which is something we failed to do in our opening league

game".

Wallace relies on the 13 players hurdle which Cowdenbeath's manager John Clark clearly reliables.

Clark one of Cetuc's 1967
European Cup winning team, remarked: "The not going to make rash statements. I simply want the players to show the same commonsense approach that helped us beat Partick Thistle and St Mirren in the cardier munds."

Noah recovers earlier rounds.

riter rounds."
Paris (AFP) - Yannick Noah, the
Cowdenbeath are racing against 1983 French Open champion, hopes

receiving daily treatment on a leg injury and if he is unable to play Cowdenbeath will be faced with signing a new goalkeeper at the last

signing a new goatseeper at the inst minute.

Celtic, beaten by Rangers in the final last season, add Willie McStay, Mark Reid and Jim Melrose to their squad for the quarter final tie against Danda United.

United's striker John Clark, who

scored three for the reserves on Saturday, would have come into contention but is now doubtful with a stomach complaint.

St Johnstose have injury wordes concerning John Sluddon and Joe Woods for their visit to Meadow-

Award for Parks

Bobby Parks of Hampshire has been named Gordon's Gin wicket-keeper of the month for August, the same honor he won last year. who beat Dundee on Saturday to see
Rangers safely over an awkward
hurdle which Cowdenbeath's manhurdle which Cowdenbeath's man-

time to get their only goalkeeper til.
Raymond Allen, who has yet to tournament, from October 8 to 14

World Cup goal for youngsters at Robson's finishing school

The youngsters face a strict regime while they are based at the Sports Council's Shropshire centre for the next two years. Breakfast at 7.45 am will be followed by a coach trip to nearby Idsall School. They return at 4.00 pm; train for 90 minutes, have dinner at 6.50 (collar and tie essential), devote an hour to homework, then relax before being sent to bed at 10.0.

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Dave Sexton, the former Chelsez.
Queen's Park Rangers and Manchester United manager, will direct
the boys' football education. He said
"My job is to make sure their fect
are educated when they leave."

England's manager, Bobby Robson, believes it may be four years
before a verdict on the scheme can
be reached. "It will take that long
before we can judge how much
progress the boys have made. All of

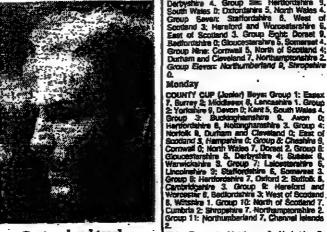
The 25 boys selected by nationwide trials will be split into two teams for fixtures against league

club youth sides. There are 12 midfield players, two goalkeepers, three full backs, four wingers and four strikers in the sound which is expected to provide the backbone of England's world cup challenge in the

I hope to be playing for England by the time I'm 19". Danny Esqualat, said. He is on Arsena's books as an associated schoolboy, and captained the London under 14 team last season. "I might miss my mates a little, but how can you turn down a wonderful opportunity like

None of the boys will receive special attention, but Sexton and Robson are bound to keep a close

England's first football school was opened at Lilleshall yesterday. but the sim of the school is to but the sim of the school is to bas been playing in the same district transpland as two-year course to lay the foundations for England's assault on the World Cup in the 1990s.



Sexton: head teacher

Youngest of them all takes home a bonus

New York (Renter)-The best female tennis prospect to come out of Latin America for 25, years became the youngest player even to win a match at the US Open this year, and after her first tournament as a pro-fessional, many excerts believe it will not be long before Gabriela Sabatini, aged only 14, takes a litle on the women's circui.

A star is born almost every year at the open, but never before has a teenager produced such brilliant tennis or shows so much promise at such an early age.
Miss Sabatini was unaware of the

evening might have been designed to put them in their place. When Jack Charlton said that his fame she had achieved mail she lost gccs and motorized blow-driers.

6-4, 6-4 in the third round to Helena The finals will be spread over Jack Charlton said that his representatives are "Battlers who lack quality", he was fooling no one.

Arsenal, if anything, are the reverse. Once they emerged from a thunderous opening when the game looked as though it was being dragged through barbed wire, they were cager, perhaps too cager, to prove it. Sukova of Czchoslovakia, five years her senior. Nor did she know that she had amassed £6,400 for lasting she had amassed £6.400 for iasting that long. Her poised performance in that match drew comparisons with Maria Bueno of Brazil, the last. The display of solid, all-round tensis was the more remarkable because the third-round tie had been shifted from an outside court to the prove it.
Anderson started it all, by

preferring, unwisely, to use power rather than accuracy from five main stadium.
"It unde me a little nervous".
Miss Sahatini said. "I have never seen so many people."
But her nerves were not obvious to Nicholas's drive was collected by

Carr at the second attempt, Talbot's effort was disallowed and Wood-cock's shot from a difficult angle was cleared off the line. Newcastle, But her nerves were not obvious to her opponent. "I was really impressed by her game became she is playing really well for a 14-year-old", Miss Sukova said. "She's going to be a very good player."

Miss Substini's coach, Patricio Apry, a former Chilean Davis Cupplayer and South American champion, is convinced his protege will succeed. "She's not ranked yet, but she's very close to the top 29 in talent already. She's going to be a top player in a few monthly, he said. more intent on survival, offered nothing in reply and Arsenal were so far ahead on points that the contest might have been stopped there and applied the long-awaited knockout punch at the opening of the second half, Roeder, whose errors had been the most notable feature of Newcastle's bewildered rearguard,

Apey, 44, became Miss Sabatin's coach last December and the Argentine seenager now lives with him, along with seven other teenage girl players, at his home in Key Biscayne, Florida.

"When I first saw her at the Bassen Paul in San Paul in brought down Woodcock on the edge of the area, Talbot examined the wall and then chipped over it gently into the top left-hand corner.

Handly had Newcastle picked themselves up off the floor when Banana Bowl in Sao Panio, Brazil in February of last year, I realized I they were down again. Nicholas, twisting and turning his way into the sort of form that was rarely evident last season, curied a cross had never seen anyone with so much alent at that age", Apey said.
Miss Sabatini, who has dropped beyond one post and Anderson out of school to devote herself full-time to teamis, reached the third round of the US Clay court championships in July. their latest acquisition, nodded it back inside the other. if Mariner had completed a glorious move that was threaded through Nicholas, Woodcock and Sansom, then the match between

The daughter of a General Motors executive in Buenos Aires, she has been playing tennis half of her life, "I got interested when my mother and father joined a tennis clab when I was seven", she said. "After that I would spend seven hours a day hitting balls against a wall." quality players and "battlers" would have effectively ended within an hour. There could be no doubt.

her first prize money, she replied:
"I'm going to buy a present for my
dog. York, who I named after New
York because I like it so much."

Draw promotes good relations

New York (Renter) - The pairings is the daily draw sheet yesterday appeared to be the most prevocative to date in the United States Open

the most tempestuous match in the history of the open five years ago. But while the names were McEnroe and Nasiase, the players were not John and Ilie, after all. Instead it was a first-round boys' junior singles match between Patrick McEnroe, John's 18-year-old brother, and Mikmea Nastuse,

Hie's 17-year old acphew. The outcome was the same as that of the first soutch between the elder McEuroe and the elder Nastase in 1979. Putrick won 6-4, 6-1 in a match devoid of temper, tautroms or

MOTOR RACING

Senna is suspended

Ayrton Senna, the 24-year-old Brazilian driver, has been suspended by the Toleman team and will not be taking part in this weekend's Italian Grand Prix "t Toleman claim they have been materially damaged by the announcement at the recent Dutch Grand Prix, when the John Player Special team Loves said the Special team Lotus said the Brazilian had signed a two-year contract with them for 1985-86. They are taking action for damages against Senna and Lotos.

Senna's place in the team has been taken over by Stefan Johans-son, the 27-year-old Swede who has impressed with his drives for Tyrrell Johansson has signed a contract with Toleman to complete the three remaining Grands Prix of 1984.

Toleman will be running two cars
at Monza this weekend for the first time since Johnny Cecotto's crash at the British Grand Prix in July. The second car is being driven by Pierluig Martini

TENNIS

The line-up for the men's quarter-finals was more confused: McEnroe or Green v Smid or Gene Mayer, Connors or Nystrom v Sundstrom or Lloyd, Cash v Mayotte or Wilander and Gomez v Lendi. The stranger in the house, Robert Green, is a large qualifier from Nebraska. He graduated from Boston Univer-

was interrupted. The last eight

women were Martina Navrati-

lova v Helena Snkova, Pam

Shriver v Wendy Turnbuil,

Carling Bassett v Hana Mandli-

kova and Sylvia Hanika or

Petra Huber v Chris Lloyd

sity and has a degree in Russian, which is a tare accomplishment for tennis acquire as much money and players from Nebraska. There are, in fact, more familiar names than Green's in Fro 10 days there are separate programmes during daylight and, in the evenings, under the junior singles, Boris Becker and Mark Kratzman, who had floodlights. This produces a contrast in playing conditions notably in lighting and tempera-ture. The contrast is at its are among the seeds in the boys' event. Steffi Graf. Katarina Maleeva (Manuela's sister), Annabel Croft and Gabriela Sabatini embellish the girls' sharpest and least acceptable in the case of the men's final,

which begins at 4.0 and tends to end under floodlights. Moreover, the singles semi-finals and finals are played on A pleasing feature of the offcourt arrangements is the corps of 50 drivers who provide a consecutive days, which may be taken as a final piece of shuttle service for players. coaches and officials. Most of evidence in the argument that them are Olympic athletes and there are two medal winners the tournament's programming is hardly calculated to produce. among them. They are super-vized by a hammer thrower consistently, the best tennis from the best players. called Peter Farmer, who was

Perhaps the most absurd born in Australia but lives in feature, though, is that the 90-Texas. second changeover interval is often extended to accommodate Farmer has competed in three Olympics and is also television commercials. The remembered for a directional most disarming argument aderror during the 1978 Comonvanced in defence of all this is that the oddities give the US championships a special characwealth Games at Edmonton, where his hammer hurtled into ter. There is no doubt about a wall just below the spot where

the Oucen was sitting. RESULTS FROM FLUSHING MEADOW

WOMEN'S BOUBLES. Third round: R Fairbunk (SA) and C Reynolds (US) bt R Casals and W Winte (US) at A. 6-2; A Mouston and P Smith (US) bt Russia and R Winte (US) at 3 Durin (GB) and A Hymne (US), 6-4, 6-4.

MDED DOUBLES: Second round: K Jordan and B Denton (US) bt 3 Gericen and B Levend (US), 6-3, 3-6, 8-4; Y Vermank and B Levend (SA) bt C Terrier (FY) and B Draword (Aus), 6-1, 3-6, 6-2, 8 J King and F Bushing (US) bt F Reactisators and K Facti (US), 5-2, 3-6, 1 Melower (PS) and B Committee (Bu) and F Sushing (US) bt F Reactisators and K Facti (US), 5-2, 8-3; Melower (Bu) and Tors Guillicon (US) bt P Casale (US) and J Fidol (Chile), 6-4, 6-4.

Solomon retires

the ATP, the players' union, three Harold Solomon, who won 22 singles titles during his 12-year professional career, announced on Professional career, announced Wednesday that he was retiring.

One of the first players to employ a two-handed backhand and one of Natase on a field court, so less.

Such a pairing would seem to ensure fireworks, since John McEarne and Itie Nastase played baseline.

> His victories included the German Open, the Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP) championship and the Las Vegas Classic. In 1976 he was runner-up to Adriano Panatta of Italy in the

Solomon, aged 31, a native of Washington, was ranked in the world's top 10 four times and in the top 20 for eight years. He played for the United States Davis Cup team for four years and was president of



Solomon: consistent

In his letter to the jury, Branco de

Blauw questions the performance in particular of the Belgian yacht, Lancelot du Lac, the Dutch-entered

Hot Stuff and Starfeasten from

Skipper calls for jury to check log books

From Barry Pickthall, Nauport

YACHTING

Branco de Blauw, skipper of the Belgian quarter-tonner Furax, initiated a call last night from crews competing here in the World Quarter Ton Cup to the international jury to look at the times recorded in the log books of every yacht to check that they passed round the correct marks during Sunday's 80-mile short offshore race.

Stendard of the short offshore received the special short of the special short

Yesterday the main talking point among crews enjoying a well-earned rest midway through this gale-rid-den series was how the French boats could have completed the course in the fast times set without missing

rounding a wrong mark, was well up with the leaders at the third turning buoy off Calsis before mistaking the Middlekerke Bank North buoy off

out one of the marks.

Keith Jones, skipper of the
Australian entry. Quarter Flash, the
only competitor so far to admit to it is hard to see what the jury can do other than suggest to the Nicuport Yacht Club that a committee hoat be positioned at every mark to monitor yachts

thoroughout the 180-mile rect.

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CRICKET Bertie Joel Cup: semi-final: "Wimbledon 227-5; Cheshunt 184.

CROQUET

COLCHESTER Chairman's Selver (invitation Eights): Positions after time rounds: 2 wins - M N. Avery, I D Bond, P Contropley, D J Croker, D R Foulser, I win - E teel, J R Hildrick 0 wins - D L Gunestiers.

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MOTOR SPORT

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(Maddon): 23mm); Festest Iap: 0 Johns (Waddon) 23mm 17 Juspec y Zumph, JUNIOR RACE (six laps, 225 miles): 350 cc; 1,1 Newton (Yameha) 2:11:3 (103.64 mph); 2, G Raddilfe (Yameha) 2:11:25 (103.34 mph); 3, M Nelson (Yamaha) 2:11:45 5 (103.08 mph); Fastost lap: D Loach (Yamaha) 21:31:2 (105.19 mph). **RUGBY UNION:**

MOTOR SPORT

GOLF

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BASKETBALL VARESE: Italian Open; first round: Phoenix Sons 183, Clao Crem 80; Sunac Mitan 91, Granarolo Bolotha 84.

FOR THE RECORD

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Sussex: 5 Derbyshire 4, Group Seven:
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(Moducie). LEICESTER: National championships 20 km final: Postpoped, ram.

CROQUET

MONTREAL: Car

Essex look for a miracle to stop Nottinghamshire

By Ivo Tennant

last week took nine Northampton-shire wickets - naturally enough

and Hadice will call it a day after that, they can rest assured both will

be back next summer, and probably for two more as well. Their competitiveness towards each other

as well as the opposition, keeps

them going.
As to other news, Worcestershire

have permitted Kapil Dev to return to India to play in a match there this week. He should, though, be back in

FIXTURES

County championship Start: 11.00 CARDIFF: Glamorgan v Werwickshire BRISTOL: Gloucestershire v Somerset LEICESTER: Leicestershire v Derby-

thamptonsulru SCARBOROUGH: Yorkshire v Hamp-

Geoffrey Boycott confirmed vesterday that he wants to play for

Yorkshire next season. Desmond Bailey, the North Riding representative on the former administration, has said that if Boycott was given a

shire LORD'S: Middlesex v Kent

Boycott's hope

Over the next three days, of cricket that the issue will not be Nottinghamshire, a point adrift of settled until the last day of the Nothinghamshire, a point adrift of settled until the last day of the last championship leaders Essex, season, as was the case a year ago, will be making what they can of the season as was the case a year ago, will be making what they can of the season as was the case a year ago, will be making what they can of the season as was the case a year ago, will be making what they may ago they can be season as was the case a year ago, will be making the first they may well have the title Championship match of the season will be making what they can of the advantage of having a game in hand. In their present form and mood, they may well have the title as near won as makes no difference by Friday.

hy Friday. Indeed, Peter Edwards, the Essex Indeed. Peter Edwards, the Essex secretary, went as far as to say that he felt his county would not, now take the Champtonship.

"I have always said that the side the county with the side of the county would be ideal", says their captain, Clive Rice, "if we are left needing two points at Taunton."

And for those left wondering if he

which wins 11 matches wins the competition. This season, we have already bettered that by one, yet it looks as if Nottinghamshire will finish with 13 or 14 victories," he

said.

Both counties complete their fixtures on opposition grounds. Nottinghamshire are at Hove today. Nottingnamshire are at rive clody, playing Sussex, and at Taunton on Saturday, against Somerset, Essex go to Old Trafford for their remaining match. They will, at least, he pleased that their opponents, Lancashire, are one of the weaker remaining the second of the weaker remaining the second of county sides.

ween, he should mough, be back in time for his county's final John Player League match on Sunday. One wonders not so much whether it is worth his while, but when he will play a full season of county Essex, most probably, are ruing leaving their declaration against Middlesex last Friday rather 100 late. They had 10 win. Their frustration was all too apparent in Fletcher's petulant outburst over Gatting's refusal to be drawn into a run chase. After all, winning the Championship involves bowling the

Still, they have not had a had season, and one hopes for the sake



has said that if Boycott was given a further engagement by the club in any paid capacity a meeting would be called to challenge that decision. Boycott said: "I would like to continue to play cricket for Yorkshire and will be happy to do so on the same basis as before. Since 1981 I have been employed by Yorkshire on the basis of one year at a time."

India debate captaincy

New Delhi (Reuter) - India have still to choose their captalo, less than one month before the start of a busy international programme, in which they play host to Australia, visit Pakistan, entertain England

Vying for the post are two of India's top players: the former captain Sunii Gavaskar, aged 34, and the man who replaced him, the

all-rounder Kapil Dev, aged 25, Gavoskar captained India in 40 Tests, but lost the position to Kapil Dev when India had a bad tour of Pakistan in 1982-83.

However, Kapil Dev's Test record as captain is five defeats and nine draws in 14 games, and India have

gone 29 Tests without a win since beating England in the first match of the 1981-82 series.

the 1981-82 series.

According to the former India captain Mansur Ali Khan Patzudi:
"Dev is a fine performer, a ulce person...but he is not captaincy material. He should be allowed to just play the game, without saddling him with the captaincy."

Patzudi also blamed Kapil Dev's unimporative terribes for India's.

unimaginative tactics for India's heavy defeat by the West Indies last

The issue is expected to be decided when Kapii Dev captains a rest of India against Gavaskar's Bombay team in a one-day match in New Delhi on Friday.

GOLF

Oosterhuis

second

in Everett

Chartie Bolling scored a five-under-par 66 to win the Everett

Open in Washington by four strokes

from Peter Oosterhuis on Monday

Bolling went from one stroke in arrears to the lead early in the round

and was never threatened. He aggregated 269, 16 under par, on the 6.327-yard, par-71 course.

Obsterious started the day equal

second with Bolling at 10 under par and hit a one-under-par 70 to finish alone in second place. His total of

273 was worth \$20,500. Andy

Dillard hit a 69 to finish third at

275.
Bolling, winner of the 1983 South

African Open, qualified for the nine-event tournament players' series by finishing twelfth in the 1983 PGA

eries last winter in Florida. Wayne Levi scored birdies at the

final two holes at Endicott, New York on Sunday to win the BC Open by one stroke from Hal Sutton

HOCKEY

Britain for champions' tournament

By Sydney Friskin

The Great Britain hockey team. winners of the Olympic bronze
medal at Los Angeles, will play in
the international tournament at the
Wilesden Sports Centre from
October 19 to 21. The Hockey Association's invitation was accepted on their behalf yesterday by the Great Britain Hockey Board.

The way was also cleared at a joint emergency meeting of the board and the association for the British team's participation in the Champions Trophy tournament at Karachi from December 7 to 14, In the longer term closer cooperation was also assured for the preparation of the British team for the 1988 Olympic Games in Seoul.

The official invitation to play in the Champions Trophy was recieved yesterday from the Federation Internationale de Hockey (FIH), who confirmed that the air tares and cost of hotel accommo dation would be paid for by the organizers. The other team who have qualified for the event are: Pakistan, West Germany, Austraba. India and the Netherlands.

Open by one stroke from Hal Sutton and Russ Cochran. Levi finished with a live-under-par 60 for a nine-under-par total of 275. It was his seventh tour victory.

FINAL TOTALS 275. W Lon 67. 71. 71. 66: 276. H Sutton 69. 69. 68. 70. R Cochran 69. 71. 69. 67: 278. M Donald 68. 74. 69. 67. 12. 70. 76. L Roberts 71. 79. 69. 65. 280. M Webs 71. 69. 72. 80. 65 280. M Webs 71. 69. 75. 280. M Webs 71. 69. 65. 280. M Webs 71. 69. 67. 70: 281. F Couples 68. 70. 71. 74. 282. M Upo 77. 71. 70. 71. 75. Shinstone 71. 74. 70. 67. 6 Morgan 70. 73. 69. 65. 72. 291. K Brown 1689. 70. 73. 73. 73. 292. M Michalty 180 73. 73. 73. 73. 73. 293. M Michalty 180 73. 73. 73. 73. 73. 73. 74. 74. 77. 6 Cindy Hill recorded her first It is hoped that David Whitaker who successfully coached the team at Los Angeles will be available to accompany them in the same capacity, but Roger Self, the manager, because fo business commitments, will not be able to do

The organizing committee of the Hockey Association will promote the tournament at Willesden when the participants are: The Soviet Union, who will be making their first visit to this country, the Netherlands. European champie Ireland and Britain.

TODAY'S FIXTURES

FOOTBALL 7.30 unless stated First division Aston Villa v Notungham Forest Leicester v Watford (7.45) Manchester United v Chelsea Norwich v West Bromwich Milk Cup

First round, second leg
(First leg score in brackets)
Chester (0) v Blackpool (1)
Hartlepcol (1) v Derby (5)
Manskeld (1) v Scurthorpe (0)
Oxford Utd (2) v Hereford (2)
Peterborough (0) v Sheffleid Utd (1)
Scutherd (1) v Oxforffleid Utd (1)

Scottish League Cup Fourth round

Cowdenbeath v Rangers Dundee United v Celtic vbank v St Johnstons

GOLA LEAGUE: Isob Lord Trophy: First round, first lag: Boston United v Kettering, NORTHERN PREMISES LEAGUE: Burson Albion v Geinsborough: Convestry v Sanger City; Workson v Goola. Workson v Gode,
SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Bill Dellow Cape First
reund: Basingstoke v Crawley: Chellowchanchan v
Glouderster: Dover v Folkestone (postponed):
King s Lytin v Rushden: V S Rughy v Corby,
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Hesnestord represent County (7.00); Coverity v Notes County (7.00), Liverpool v Bradierd C (7.00), Newcaste

v Mar Utd (7,00); Nottingham Forest v Man Chy (7,00); Sheffield United v Everton (7,00) Stota v Blackburn (7,00) West Brom v Sheffield (7,00); Birmfigham v Luton (2,00); Second division: Doncaster v Grimsby (7,00); Hull City v Wolverhumton ; Middlesbrough v Port Vale (7,00) Oldham v York City (7,00); Rotherham v Preston (7,00) Scummorpe v Sundovtani

LPGA victory at Springfield. Illinois on Monday after hitting a one-und-er-par 71 in the final round of the Rail Charity classic for a three-

round total of 207, nine under par Mary Beth Zimmerman set

women's professional record with eight consecutive birdies in the second round. She finished four

stokes off the pace.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION: Charlton v
Portamouth (7.00; Millings v Swindon (2.00;
Millings v Swindon (6 13).
FA CUP: Preliminary round replays:
Eastbourne Town v Camberley Town;
Chadderton v Stafnal

RUGBY UNION RUGBY UNION
CLIB MATCHES Bath v South Wales Poice
7.15; Bristol v Chelsenham 7.15; Cardill v
Galmorgan Wors 7.15; Coverny v Birmingham;
Massang v Ulanell 7.00; Pontypool v Tredegar
7.00; Rugby v Bedford 5.45; Vale of Lime v
Hallax 500; Waterloo v Chesher, Harrow v St
Nicholas OB; Blogan Park v St Day; Newbury v
US Portsmouth 16,00; Percance-Newby v
Saltash; RAF St Mawgam v RNAS Cultinos;
Southamption v Havard; Stevenage v Barnel.
CORNAWALL MERRY TABLE: Falmouth v
Camborne.

No play yesterday SCARBOROUGH: D B Close's XI 308 for 5 dec ID L Hayes 111, G Fowler 611; Sri Lankars 216 for 4 (R S Machgalle 67 not cut. A N Ramannag 73 not out. Bowley Subbottom 9-22** G Warkinson 10-2-27** (Mozon 6-0-26-3:

RACING

Waafi should show more experienced rivals the way home

By Mandarin (Michael Phillips)

Twelve months ago Dick Hern saddled Falstaff to win this nice prize, but tragically that was to be that tough colt's last race because he was fatally injured in an accident on the gallops at West Ilsley later in the month.

Today Hern will field yet another fancied candidate for the same race, Moujik, who is bound to command a strong following after resolute performances at Newbury and Newmarket However, in this instance, I am still inclined to wonder whether Moujik, or Rusty Law and Trucidator, the other unbeaten colts in today's small but select field, will manage to give 7lbs to Waafi,

Paul Cole's stable. Addenbrooke, Axe Valleys. Reach. Sergeant Gerard and Yemken are other two-year-olds in the same yard who have won their first race this season and now the word from Lambourn is that Waafi is expected to follow suit.

the highly-rated newcomer from

The others will certainly find the task of giving him weight difficult, if he is destined to take high rank, I think that this promising half brother to that good filly, Fenny Rough, represents a sporting nap, even though be lacks the experience of rivals, who may be unbeaten but are not, in my judgment, unbeatable.

Fleet of Foot is expected to give a good account of herself in the Avondale New Zealand Stakes, after that promising run in the Acomb Stakes over today's course and distance last month. But here again my best information concerns another newcomer, Green Leaf. Yesterday our Newmarket correspondent told me that he expected this chestnut filly by Alydar out last Friday.

With the future in mind, the of War Fever to make a Gilbey Champion Racehorse triumphant debut because her Futurity is arguably the most interesting race at York today. promising. With only 8st 3lb to promising. With only 8st 3lb to carry, Green Leaf will be ridden by Paul Eddery, Lester Piggott's understudy at Warren Place, who has been seen to such good effect recently while the master himself had been injured.

However. Piggott should today at least manage to win the valuable Strensall Stakes on Miss Beaulien, whose form this season has been bordering on classic standard. Steve Cauthen, who will replace Piggott at Warren Place next year, has an undeniably good chance of winning the Heslington Stakes on Rhusted, who finally came good at Newbury last month. Apart from Peter Walwyn, who trained Be Hopeful to win 27 races and be placed in another 42 during a racing career that spanned 13 seasons, it is difficult to think of anyone

who would love to win the Be Hopeful Memorial Handicap at Bath today more than Alan Bailey, who as a stable lad looked after that popular old warhorse before he eventually decided to turn his own hand to training. Today, Bailey hopes to do just that with Empress Corina, who certainly has a chance of enabling her trainer's dream come true at these

Race riding around a course as sharp as Bath will be a new experience for the French jockey, Alain Lequeux, but one that he should nevertheless enjoy on Atomic Force in the Pennsylvania Maiden Stakes. Otherwise, Pat Eddery looks

the man to follow on the Somerset course especially Kelly's Royale in the Ladbroke Nursery Handicap. It would be difficult to even exaggerate the ease with which Kelly's Royale

All Along returns for Longchamp's Prix Foy

All Along will make her seasonal reappearance in the 12-furlong Prix Foy at Longchamp next Sunday (Desmond Stoneham writes). Daniel Wildenstein's champion mare has not run since her amazing autumn campaign a year ago when she won the Arc de Triomphe, Rothmans international, turf classic and Washington D.C. International and a fim booms for the last three fin bonus for the last three

However, yesterday at Chantilly, All Along greatly impressed Patrick Biancone, her trainer, in her work, so she will be allowed to take her chance in the Prix Foy with Walter

A considerable amount of rain has fallen during the past 24 hours in the Paris region so the ground for next Sunday's racing at Lougchamp will be no faster than good. Lear Fan is the only definite English raider for the weekend and he will be opposed in the Prix Du Moulin de Longchamp by Palace Music, Sibererian Express and Mendez, all of whom the English coit defeated in the Prix Jacques le Marois.

The only French runner in the Phoenix Champion Stakes will be Scattle Siren, while Mont Basile is

Double first for apprentices

Tyrone Williams and Simon Star is likely to remain in training Whitworth, locked in bands for the next year and then may retire to the apprentice championship, both ride their first winners at Hamilton Park vesterday where northern stables suffered a complete whitewast. Victory on Miami Star took Williams's tally to 39, two more than Whitworth, who scored on

Mizpah.

Williams, riding at the Scottish course for the first time, took Miami star to the front two furlongs out in the Ladbroke Racing Handicap, and the filly gamely responded to pressure to hold Here I Am by three-quarters of a length.

Miami Star races in the colours of sisters Ina and Ella MacGregor, who combine farming with running the Pinkerton Stud at Dunbar. Miami

Tote double: 2.0, 3.10. Treble: 1.30, 2.35, 3.45

GOING: good

Draw: no advantage

 Corals make the Vincent O'Brien-trained Sadler's Wells 7-4 favourite for the Phoenix Champion Stakes, to be run at Phoenix Park on Saturday. They then bet 100-30 Tolomeo, 7-2 Princess Pani. Ben De Haan and Taffy Salaman, the Lambourn trainer, both got off the mark for the new season when intense landed a gamble by getting up close home to foil the hot favourity, Kitty Come Home, in the first division of the Sidmouth Novices Hurdle at Devot and Exeter yesterday. Intense, who is in foal, was returned at 10-1, but

Salaman revealed: "I had £100 on at

and I'm happy to stay in it." Quietly spoken, sometimes almost to a

point of introspection, impeccably dressed and mannered, Cauthen's transition from Kentucky Kid to Berkshire gent is almost complete. Two clues to the previous life

Cauthen born-again champion still be termed "Mid-Atlantic", even if it is, more this side of the water than that, and, more tangibly a small tin marked "Snuff" which Cauthen carries around with him and which contains not snuff but chewing

What are my chances? Steve Cauthen, the young champion elect, is not beyond seeking advice from the elder state

Joe Mercer, between races (Photograph: Chris Cole)

flat on the seat of his silks. But, five years later, poised to become the first foreigner since Scobie Breasley in 1963 to win the English jockeys' title and the first American to do so since Danny Maher in 1913, Cauthen has found not merely universal respect as a rider but also a lasting place in the hearts of the English The secret is that the love affair is

entirely mutual. For if the English now treat him as one of their own, this surely has everything to do with the fact that Cauthen is not so much an Anglophile. more a born-again Englishman.

in the spring of 1979 billed as the hottest

thing to come out of Kentucky since a certain brand of fried chicken, there were

inevitably those whose dearest wish was to

see the so-called American wonder boy fall

Leaving his family, country and a glittering career that brought him Holly-wood-style riches and acclaim before his 19th birthday, to chase obscure new rainbows in a foreign land took courage enough. But, when those rainbows quickly became lost in a dense pall of cloud, Cauthen could have been forgiven for turning tail and scurrying back to the United States faster than a thoroughbred catapulting out of the start gate.

The thought never seriously entered his head. There was something about the place that made me want to stay," Cauthen says. "I suppose the pace of life suited me.

Now he is far more at home meandering through leafy English lanes in his big maroon Mercedes than fighting his way through the cacaphony of an early-morn-ing New York traffic jam ("You have to live close to the tracks in order to ride work over there." Cauthen explains.) And the gentlemanly pursuits of hunting and shooting are what interest him when he gets a rare chance to switch off from the rigours of title-chasing.

Impeccably dressed

Before he came here, Cauthen says, he had heard a lot about the stuck-up English, but dismissed it. Now he accepts with equanimity the snobbery that is still evident in the often anachronistic world of horse racing. "Sure there are class barriers," Cauthen says without rancour, "but in doesn't bother me. I know my class

Cauthon, now 24, was born the eldest of three brothers in Covington, Kentucky, where the smell of horses hung in the air like incense. His father, Tex, was and still is a blacksmith; his mother, Myra, a rare animal in the States - a female racehorse trainer. Brother Doug aged 21, is learning the bloodstock business and Kerry, at 15 the baby of the family, is riding a lone road in computers. "We'll have one to ride them, one to train them, one to sell them and one to computerize them," Cauthen England first appeared on Cauthen's

horizon in the shape of Robert Sangster, a man known for his happy knack of buying up the best, both equine and human. I was a combination of a Sangster offer that was too good to refuse and the fact that Cauthen was then having to sweat out his first really bad spell since the start of his meteoric rise that forced the move. "I was burnt out and stale". Cauthen

admits. "I had been riding non-stop 365 days a year for two years and a half. Anyway, I had always wanted to see Europe and the European tracks and I realized that this was the time to do it. If it didn't work out I was young enough to go back to the States."

So, in April, 1979, "The Kid", as he was known simply back home, arrived in England with all the media overkill that a record such as his - 487 winners and 56m in prize money in his first full year, a Triple Crown triumph on Affirmed and three Eclipse awards in his second inevitably attracted.

The euphoria of early winners, notably a first English classic on the 20-1 chance, Tap On Wood, in the 2,000 Guineas within a month of his arrival, quickly ebbed away, however. The horses of Barry Hills, the Lambourn trainer, by whom he was retained were stricken by a virus and Cauthen had to withstand some withering attacks from the vultures of the press. The expected spate of winners became little more than a trickle; a disappointing total of 52 in his first season was bettered by iust nine the following year. Cauthen provides a simple explanation

for what lay behind this difficult period. "People are slagging off my good friend Darrell McHargue right now because he's going through exactly what I had to then. It's a learning process. In America the tracks are all the same, flat and lefthanded. Over here they are all differen and knowledge of a track is worth 10lb," As he learned so the winner graph took steady upward turn - 87 in 1981 and

a steady tipward that I have a steady to more than 100 in each of the past two years. Now already past his best total, he is well clear of the pack with the title sewn up barring an accident. The steely determination to be the best that characterizes a champion in any

sphere burns in Cauthen's eyes when you ask him if the championship really means that much to him. No, he did not just wake up one day and find Piggott and Carson injured and himself left in the lead by default. "I've always been after the title", he says, "and it looks like this really could be the year".

Obvious replacement

"Sure the pressure really gets to you sometimes. Particularly the night meetings - they can really mess up your sleep.", Cauthen says. "But I accept the sacrifices. The often rather intense young face breaks into a broad schoolboy grin. "I work hard, but when I play, I play hard too."

Leaving aside technical nicities, perhaps

the most simplistic tribute that can be paid to the riding style that has taken Cauthen to within sight of the crown is to say that he is always in the right place at the right

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The same might be said of his forthcoming link with Henry Cecil, the former champion trainer. "I had him in mind for a long time as Piggott's successor". Cecil says, "And when Lester and I were forced to go our separate ways over the Wildenstein business, Steve was the obvious replacement".

"He's a natural. He's got a good brain and he's a nice person to work with", the Newmarket trainer continues. "And he always thinks about what he says.

Cecil's one regret is that he had hoped to be one to make Cauthen champion. Now events look like overtaking him. Perhaps, though, he will find even greater pleasure in watching Cauthen ride his and Cecil's first Derby winner. "We've both got a bit of time left before they turn us out to grass", Cecil observes dryly.
With the 150-horse power backing of

Warren Place, Cauthen's glory days may just be beginning. It was after the First World War that English racecourses echoed to the cry of "Come on, Steve," as the great Steve Donoghue booted home winner after winner. The surname may have changed, but 60 years later that same phase is ringing out with equal fervour.

John Karter

beating 41 when 4th of 12 behind Pairways (3rd (8-3) at Thirsk (71, 22,372, good to soft, Aug 4) SINGLE LOVE (8-7) beaten % by Double Linth (7-7) at Yarmouth (71, 22,431, good to farm, Aug 23, 8 ran). TOP OF THE LEAGUE (8-8) beaten 111 when last of 8 behind Bells Colors (8-5) at Goodwood (71, 217,825, good to farm, Aug 24). GREAT SYMPHONY (9-67) beaten just over 2 by Schlar Beau 19-0) at Brighton (71, 21814, good, Aug 9, 11 ran). The EXCEPTIONAL (8-0) at Yarmouth (71, 2285, good, Aug 9, SCOTCH ROCKET (8-11) beaten 11 when 3rd of 15 behind Surrecod (9-1) at Lacouster (71, 22,528, good to firm Aug 20). Selection: TOP OF THE LEAGUE.

1.0 QUINTIN GILBEY SILVER TROPHY (Handicap: £3,428: 7f) (14 102 112-300 POLLY'S BROTHER (CD) (Mrs C Geraghty) M H Easterby 6-8-10 POLLY'S BROTHER (CD) (May C Geraghty) M H Easterby 6-9
WRO WRO WHOELS (B) (CD) (P Servit) C Netson 4-8-9
NUMISMATIST (BF) (Duripenel Ltd) D Sesse 5-5-12
DUNHAM PARK (D) (May N Nuclei) J Pizzlerald 7-8-11
SUPER TRIP (J) Macrovel) G Hunter 3-8-6
ROYAL TROUPER (CD) (Mrs B Wildinson) A Hide 5-8-5
MARY MAGRIRE (P Durham) D Chapman 7-8-4
BENZ (T Bennet) M H Easterby 3-8-3
STEIN (D) (Ars J Fulton) Mrs G Reveley 8-8-2
TOP O'TH'LANE (CD) (R Coulton) N Bycroll 7-8-2
MEL'S CHOICE (M British) D Pint 6-7-13
MURILLO (D) (B) (F Carr) F Carr 8-7-10
MOSSETT (D) (Mrs S Craig) T Craig 5-7-7
MARSHALL RED (B) (M Belley) J Mason 4-7-7
JSS: Willo Wild Wheels 3-8-0 Pat Eddery (11-2) C Nelson 11 ran.
If Wheels, 9-2 Numismatist, 5 Top O'Th'Lans, 8 Me's Choice, 7 Re

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4 Wild Wheels, 9-2 Numiemetist, 5 Top O'Th'Lane, 6 Mei's Cho sper Trip, 12 Polly's Brother, 20 others. FORM: POLLY'S BROTHER (8-11) beaten almost \$1 when 7th of 12 behind Lucky Dutch (8-0) at FORBIT: POLLY'S BROTHER (8-11) beaten stroot B when 7th of 12 behind Lucky Dutch (8-0) at Rhom (8t. 28.63. good to firm, Aug 18). WILL WING WINELES 6-7) between over S white unplaced behand Califuce (6-11) at NewSury (8t. 24.422, good, Aug 17, 13 ran), NUMISBATTS (8-0) sh of 8 beaten user to ver 4 fr) by Manchestenskytein (7-7) at Goodwood (8t. 27, 367, good to firm, Aug 25). ROYAL TROUPER (8-9) and of 9 beaten 3 by Reveal (8-5) at Newmarket (8t. 23.591, good to firm, Aug 26). DOYAL TROUPER (8-9) and of 9 beaten 3 by Reveal (8-5) at Newmarket (8t. 23.591, good to firm, Aug 21). Sefore that, ROSSETT (7-7) beat TOP O' Th' LANE (8-13) by 11 with DUNNIAN PARK (8-10) at further 11 every in 5th at Rectair (7t, 22.533, firm, Aug 10, 5 ran).

Selections ROYAL TROUPER.

York selections

By Mandarin
1.00 Royal Trooper, 1.30 WAAFI (Nap), 2.00 Greemont, 2.35 Miss Beaulieu, 3.10 Green Leaf, 3.45 Lucky Song, 4.15 Rhusted.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent

1.00 Royal Trooper, 1.30 Rusty Law. 2.00 Single Love. 2.35 Miss
Beaulieu, 3.10 Green Leaf, 3.45 Chase Paperchase, 4.15 Russian Noble.

1.30 GILBEY CHAMPION RACEHORSE FUTURITY (2-y-o: £7,674; 7f) (7) MOUSER (D) Shalid Mohammed W Hern 9-0 -RUSTY LAW (D) (S Nierchos) H Ceel 9-0 -TICKLY BENESER (The Farthing Ce) R Amestrong 9-1
RILICEDATOR (D) (H Herrier) S Norton 9-0 -COSMIANDING GENERAL (K Fischer) M Jervis 8-7
WARE IF Statement B Cole 8-7

1983: Faistaff 9-0 W Carson (Evens tay) W Hem 3 ran 7-4 Rusty Law, 5-2 Mougik, 4 Truckdator, 6 Tickly Sender, 8 Week, 16 others.

FORM: MOULTIK (9-3) best Reville (8-5) by *41 at Newmerket (71. 23,928, good. Aug 10, 6 ren).
RUSTY LAW (9-6) best Wide Boy (8-11) by 41 at Wolverhampton 77. E1,130, good. Aug 6, 15 ren).
TICKLY BENDER (8-11) 6th of 8 besten 5 %) by Petrosid (9-0) at Goodwood (77. £11,162, good to firm, Aug 2, TRUCRDATOR (8-11) best Star Video (8-2) by *41 at Ayr (77. £4,316, good, Aug 7, 3 ran), HOPEFUL KATIE (8-11) unplaced behind Surwood (8-1) at Leicester (71. £2,326, good to firm, Aug 20, 15 ran).

Selection: MOULTIK. 2.0 UKO VARIVUE NURSERY HANDICAP (2-y-o: 25,763: 1m) (13)

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12:100 HOPFIL REIGHTS (V J Ensity Ltd) T Rightwart 9-7

22:134 GREEBONT (R Sengistry J W Water 9-6

240 REAL APPEAL (Boo's P Roberts) C Nelson 9-4

250 MAGIC EYE (8-7) (J Abdulish) (I Hunter 9-4

250 SNIGLE LOVE (Dr C Lebrocolose) B Herbury 9-8

10130 TOP OF THE LEAGUE (Helens Springfield P Cole 8-13

202 GREAT SYMPHONY (R Kisster) J Durlop 8-8

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204 PM EDCEPTIONAL (F Lee) M Jervis 8-2

200 STRIKE OF SEADS (W Lumley) J Etherington 8-0

403 SCOTCH ROCKET (K Bridgas) D Lesie 2-12

00210 MARK PRINCE (Aligi Haribel) F Carr 7-7

188: Dalesids Redwood 9-7 R P Elicat (8-1) T Feichurst 8 ran.

Gregmont, 4 Real Appeal, 9-2 Madic Eye, 6 Great Symphory, 8 Tm Except 3 Greemont, 4 Real Appeal, 9-2 Magic Bys. 6 Great Symphony, 8 I'm Exceptional, 10 Single Love, 12 Top Of The League, 14 Hopeful Heights, 20 others.

FORM: HCPEFUL HEIGHTS (9-3) and CUALITAIR BOY (7-1) beginn over 41 when unp behind Storm Burst (7-7) at York (71, \$4,175, good to firm, Aug 21, 18 ranj. SREERICHT

2.35 STRENSALL STAKES (Fillies: £7,466: 7f) (10)

STRENSALL STAKES (Hilles: 27,400: 71) (1U)
1-0103 MRS\$ SEALLEST (J Pearsa) G Wragg 3-9-0
002204 CAPRICORN BELLE (I Allan) L Cumani 3-8-8
3-103 DIKKYNA (RE) (Aga Khan) L Cumani 3-8-8
3-103 SHANESSHELLY (D) (Mrs J Price) P Cumanis (m) 3-8-8
001-129 TURKOSH DELLISHT (F Satrack) P Cole 3-8-8
1-1000 STARLIT (SKY (D McIntyne) J Winter 4-8-6
KILLYCURRA (M Korr) M Ryan 3-8-4
3-00410 SHEEGG (G Ward) D Arbutinot 3-8-1
0-00 CITY LINK ROSE (CR) Link List) D Wilson 3-7-12
200-200 ROSOLIO (E) (Lady P Rous) R Armstrong 3-7-12
1983: Steerulp 3-9-0 Pat Eddary (7-2 h-fav) I Baiding 10 ran. 5-2 Mes Besulien, 7-2 Duisyna, 9-2 Capricom Bella, 6 Shanashily, 8 Turkish Dalight, 16 Gurra, 12 Starit Sky, 20 others.

POPPIE: MISSS BEAULTEU (S.5) 2%, 3rd to Opicimistic Lass (S-6) at Goodwood (1 m 21, 239,976, good to firm, Jung 1, 5 ram) DUKAYNA (S-6) had Capricum Belle (S-6) 4 back in 5th when 21g 3rd to Nether Chemistre (S-17) at York (71, 24,757, good, Aug. 23, 9 ram, TURKSH DELIGHT (S-4) 5 6th to Fortylescond Street, here (St. 23,377, good to firm, July 14, 7 ram), STARUT SKY (S-6) 31 to Blowleg Bubbles (S-6) at Lingbield (71, 22,432, good, Aug. 11, 14 ram), KULLYCURRA (S-5) 7 last of Debic Last Topics at Newmerket (6f, 24,162, good to firm, Aug. 24).

Belevation: MISS SEAULTEU.

3.10 AVONDALE NEW ZEALAND STAKES (2-4-0 fillies: 23,895: 6f) (7) 91 JEANNE AVRE. (C) (M Browne) B Hobbs 9-1 _______ G Bester 1 MEL SPARROW (C) (T Holland-Merici) R Johnson-Houghton 8-12 Inion 8-12
L Plogott
L Plogott
W R Swinburn
W Caraon
S Cauthen
Paul Eddery
P Hamblet 1983: Seattle Siren 8-3 W Carson (15-2) W Hern 17 ray-2 Rest Of Foot, 3 Jeanne Avril, 9-2 Mill Sparrow, 5 Green Leaf, 8 Charge Along, 12 Chap

PORSE: Jeanne Awil, (5-11) short head winner over Gebzie Dust (5-11) at Goodwood (6f. 24,942, good to Sm., Aug 1, 12 rant, SELL SPARROW (5-3) at Wactor (6f. 21,357, good to Sm., Aug 25, 23 rant, CARROR ALONG (6-11) 1253 lest of 10 behind Helen Street (5-11) at Ascot (6f. 25,650, good to Sm., July 27, 10n rant, CARROR (6f. 25,650, good to Sm., July 27, 10n rant, CARROW (6f. 25,650 3.45 EARL OF STRADBROKE NURSERY HANDICAP (2-y-o: £2,267: 5f)

5-4 Chase Paperchase, 3 Peckitts Well, 4 Lucky Song, 5 Workeday, 8 Cuslifieir Flyer.

FORSE: WORKOAY unplected (9-5) behind Amplie Bay (7-7) over 7t last time. Earlier (9-7) neck witner over Johnny Fortune (9-9) at Casserick (9t, 2:1626, from Aug 16 7 ran). Classe Perpendiess (8-11) 32 and to Casserick (7-10) 32 and to Casserick (7-10) 32 and to Sam, Aug 27, 5 ran) LUCKY SONG 33 and 50 Provideo (9-7) at Risconside (87, 5:1,858, good to Sam, Aug 27, 5 ran, LUCKY SONG 33 and 50 Provideo (9-7) at Risconside (8-8) 25,850, and 27, 5 ran, CULALITASH FLYER (8-12) 16ck 2nd to Pommee Chaineus (9-8) at Luicester (81, 22302, good to Sam Aug 20, 7 ran), PECKITTS WELL (7-11) 24 3rd of 10 behind Video Rocket (8-11) at Thirsk (71, 82,390, good, Aug 3). Selection LUCKY SONG 4.15 **HESLINGTON STAKES** (8-y-o: £3,596: 1m 4f) (7) I BIN ZALDOON (Hamden Al-Maktoum) P Welnyn 9-4
RHUSTEN (D) (A Street) 8 Hills 9-4
RHUSTEN (D) (A Street) 8 Hills 9-1
YABIS (K.Al-Sald) G Plumber 9-1
POONA EXPRESS (E Start E Halls 8-17
REED PLAYER (K.Abulka) W Bays 9-11
GASSANDRA (GP) (D) (Ld Porchester) W Herri 8-8
HILL Plumber 9-1 1963: Dending Affair 8-12 Pat Eddary (8-1) J Tree 5 ran. Noble, 7-2 Cassandra, 9-2 I Ett Zaldoon, 5 Fibusted, 8 Reed Player, 18 Yabis,

PORSE, I BM ZADOON (3-1) 1's winner over Minus Man (8-4) at Leicester (1m 21, 22,789, good to firm Aug 20, 16 rain). RefusiteD (9-0) had CASSANDRA (8-1) 71 back in 4th when constructed Newbury witner (1m 41 22,728, good Aug 17, 22 rain). Russan NOSILE (8-4) best Russan Russa

Yesterday's results

Hamilton Park GOUNG: Good to time
2.30 (6f) 1. AMERT (F Bloomfield, 7-1); 2. Frisce (J Bleascale, 3-1); 3. Beby Sigts (G Duffield, 4-5 fav), ALSO RAN: 6 Starswood Boy (4th), 23 AF's Comet (5th), 50 Bey To-Differ, 1 Caract 7cl. (80), 7 ran. 11-1, 4th fd. 4, 48, 24, 24, 25, 25, 25, 30. DF \$10.50, CSF \$22.50. DF \$10.50, CSF \$22.50. 22:50. DF £10:50. CSF £26:55.

3.0 (5f) 1, MEZPAN (5 Withworth, 12-1); 2, Monivally (0 Nichols, 9-1); 3, Manbir (0 Leschitter, 100-1); ALSO RANC 5-2 by Guenter Royal, 6 Today And Tomorrow (5th), 9 Natina-Nay, 10 Suparb Princess (4th), 12 Everingham Park, 14 Ghazibay (5th), Zigoode, 25 Little Min, Tufted Locks, 35 Guitel, Gray Charm, Pearl Run, 15 ran, NR: Easy Jeans, 14, 1, 140, 191, rit. A Jarvis at Roystou, TOTE £8:50, £2:20, 25:80, 28:30, 09.

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3.30 (tm. 11 10yds) 1, MIAMI STAR (T Williams 5-1); 2, Here I Am (M Wood 15-2; 3, Purple (E Hide 8-1), Also ratt. 9-2 fav Proceeding 55th, 5 Thisarsfield (5sth, 15-2 Cambridge Lodge, 9 Major's Request, 11 Highview, 12 Music Wonder, Affair, 14 Top Ranker (4th), 50 Crack A Bottle, 12 ran, Nft. Christotias Christotias 4, 13, In 8, 294, 194, 1 Winter at Newmarket, Tote 54.20; 52.16, 33.50, 51.40, 0.07 51.44, CSF 541.33, Treast. 2277.32.

4.0 15fi 1, STONEYDALE (N Connorted 4-1 2277-32.

20 (56) 1, STONEYDALE (N Connorton 4-1 tay); 2, attrago lithry Sing (S Carber 9-1); 3, Navarro Secondo (S Horstal 7-1); Also ran; 7 (vt. (86)), 15-2 Nigers Girl, 9 Patchtorg, 10 Benk, Boy (510), Serban, 11 Winning latert, 12 Edwir's Princess (4th), Mark Melody, 14 Migstic Nymph, 20 Carousal Nouget, 13 ran, 194, ct, 194, sh hd, 216, 1 Westbrook at Newmarket, Total: 27.70; £2.20, £4.60, £2.60, DP £110.90, CSF 240.03, Troust £234.13.

GSF- 540.03. Tricast: 2234.13.
4.39 (tim 40yd) 1, FEMPISTO ROCHER (G. Duffleld, 5-2 tavit; 2, Illiarly Reclect (B Thomson, 9-2; 3, Springle (S Perixs, 9-2; AUSO FAN: 10 Northern Prospect (Hth, Coultre Lag Athal, Moberry (Bith), 12 Okto Fat Ox, 14 Minst Bella, Lusus, 16 Shorefine (Stin), 33 Chromispect, 11 ran. 4, 11/4, ok. 11/4, 2. M Prescott a Newmerket, /TOTE: 24-50; E1-40, 21-20, E1-70. DE: 25-80. GSF: 21-4.03.
5-90 (Im 40), 1, WHSSPERMING GRASS (A Clark, 4-6 tavit; 2, Visilla Fearms (B Thomson, 5-1); 3, In Form (G Duffleld, 4-1), ALSO FAR: 8 Lady Sevilla (40), 14 Son of Raja, 5 ran. 15/1, nl. 61 at. G Harrecott at Puborough, TOTE: 21-40; E1-10, E1-

Fontwell Park

Going: good to firm
2.00 (2m 2! hole) 1, The Vinager Nan (Marting, O'Shien 5-9, 2, Top Gold (11-10 ker); 3, Alumnus (12-1) 5 ren. NR: Deo Grettes, Lute, Alve, Alanochy. 8, 6l. J Fox. TOTE: \$2.00,-21 10, 21.30; DF: \$2.80. 2.30 (2m 2f 110yd cht 1, Genmin's Put (14 Harrington 10-11), 2, Pompous Prince (8-2; 3, Saftron Prince (6-1), 6 not 31, 12, D Gandolio, TOTE £1.80, £1.40, £2.00, DF: £2.60, CSF. 3.00. (2m 21 hdfs) Dake of Dallis (A. Webber 3-1); 2, Allende (7-1); 3. Sir Eumon (4-1); 13-8 tav 7 ran NR: Rheimpold's Gilt 1%, hd. R. Armytage. TOTE: 23.70, £1.70, £2.20, DF: £7.70, CSF: £21.64.

3.30 (2m 2) hele) 1, tilonyass (R Rowe 5-1); 2. Sr Buch (8-4 lav); 3, Onessios (11-9, 6 ran-8 7s. D Osphan, TOTE: 25.90; 22.20, 21.20; DF 25.20, CSF: £15.22. 4.00 (2m 2' 110 yds) 1, Fairsay (A Jones 9-2); 2, Grown Land (8-11 tay), 3, Polly Major (5-1), 6 ran, NR: Hope Gap, 11 SI J Bevis, TOTE: 25.60; 22.00, 21.30, OF 24.00, CSF 23.01

4.30 (2m 2i hdin) 1, Beat The Refrect (J Francome 5-11: 2, Just Blate (8-4 fay; 3, Lector (100-30, 1 fa); 44, 9 rm. J Jardins TOTE: 25.20; 21.70, 21.40, 21.40, DF: 26.90, CSF 212.92 PLACEPOT: 23.00

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Category Hard 2.15 (2m) 11 hole? 1, Issuesse (8 de. Wasen 10-11; 2, Kiny Come Home (11-10 hay); 3, Pricked Jenny (9-1), 7 ran. V1, 25, M Salaman, TOTE 210.50, 22.80, 21.10, DP: 214.70, CSF 219.50, 245 (2m) 17 hole); 1, Palmersten (W Daviss 7-4; 2, Terry (10-1); 3, Concr's Rock (8-4 hay), 6 ran. 7, 3, D Barons, TOTE 22.70, 21.80, 21.90, DP: 212.00, CSP 213.79. 21.50. DF: 2/2.00. CSF: 213.79.

3.16 (2m 1) chase) 1, Boyes NW Pater
Hobbs, 18-1; 2, Princely Lad (10-11 ter); 3,
Briantes (10-1); 6 can. NR: Hopetat Courses.
Nock, 8, R J Hodges, TOTE: 28.40; 23.10,
21.30. DF: 25.80. CSF 250.84.
3.45 (2m 1) hole) 1, Come On Grante (F
Leach 8-11 fav); 2, Mass Reppin (5-2); 3, Jone
Addison (20-1), 6 can. 128.61 MC Pipes, TOTE
E1.70; 21.30, 21.60 DF: 23.00. CSF: 23.17 21.70; 21.30; 21.50 DF; 22.00; CSF; 22.17 4.15 (2m H ch) 1, The Guinnes Hent (P Carell, 13-2); 2. Automy (11-1); 3. Double Sings, State Fine 9-4 fav. 6 run. Neck., 72, 47 C Bulley, 1071; 29.70; 22-10, 22.00; DF; 22.50; 4.45 (2m 1f hds); 1. Whomever (F Front 15; 12. 2. Narring Line General fort); 3. Lindbilling (29-1), TOTE \$1.50; 12.60, 21.50, DF \$2.75; CSF; 12.7. PLACEPOT: £78.5.

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2.15 (2m hdie) 1, Frantism (J. Harman, 7/2):252, Frontide Lady (12-1); 3, Km For Gald (5-4 km/-1 ran, NR: Torako, 174, E. G. Richmont, 10076; 4.20; 21.60, 24.40, 21.10, DP 223.50. C86; 4.10. 243.04.
2.45 (2m 4f hdie) 1, Calt Me-Mortein (** Tude) 3
6-1): 2, Gorstoy (6-4 feet; 3, Warmer Gorse (6-5); 5
6 ma, NPL Rough-Cest, 58, 77. C Hoyle, Tude): 2
5.40; 21.60; 629: 214.30.
3.15 (3m 110ed ch) 1 Prophesion of Disciples (12-1). 6 ran. 2, 15. Q Winhards. TOTE: 28.59; 12.00, 21.20. DF: 25.50; CSF. 10.78; 13.59; 13.40; 31.20. DF: 25.50; CSF. 10.78; 13.41;

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In the report the firm recommend that The Board should experiment with prize money allocations in order to ascertain whether the cost can be reduced." They also recommend that the management of Racecourse Technical Services and Racecourse Security Services should meet more often; that the board should make regular policy statements; and that improvements should be made to the board's accounts Sir Isa Trethowan: "urgent

department. Regarding loans to racecourses. Peat Marwick say that the Levy Board does not always follow its own policies, and that applications should be con-sidered more carefully. They also point out that savings could be made at both RTS and RSS, and that there are



consideration" of internal issues

Sir Ian Threthowan, the Levy Board chairman commenting on the report, said that those recommendations which concern the Board's internal affairs would be considered argently, and the recommendations "inefficiencies" in collecting the which raise wider issues will be Levy from smaller bookmakers. discussed with relevant parties.

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They were, compared with a lot of recent property, well-built, which explains why they are still standing. They are not, however, perfect. Older houses are likely to need costly repairs and can be more expensive to run. Good modern houses can compare favourable on those grounds. Modern houses also attract a premium if they are really well-finished because buyers in this market are particularly discerning.

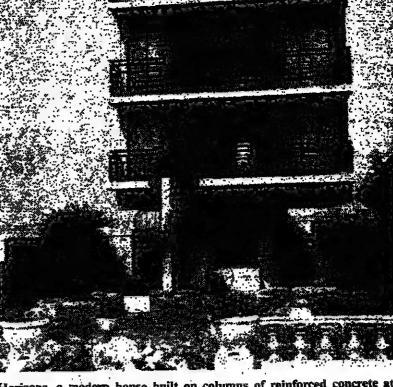
There are not many adventurously contemporary houses, perhaps because there are not many adventurously contemporary (and rich) people, and those that are uncompromisingly modern are as likely as not to have been designed for an architect. Horizons, overlooking the beach and sea at Sandbanks, Poole, Dorset, was built in 1972 to an exacting specification, with the house raised bove conventional level to take advantage of the view,

Featured in the 1974 Daily Mail book of house plans, it is for sale through Savills' Wimborne, Dorset, office, at about £250,000, including all fixtures and furnishings (£230,000) excluding them). With a design theme of circles and squares, the house, built of reinforced concrete, has a circular reception hall and garden room at the base. The two upper floors are cantilevered over this section, connected by a central spiral staircase.

The house has three double-glazed window walls on the upper floors, which have sliding glass doors opening on to large covered balconies at front and rear. There is a 45 ft living/dining room, a master bedroom and three or four further bedrooms, and a terraced patioed garden and summer house. Other modern houses on the

narket at present prove the rule that most are more traditional in style. La Rochelle, at East Preston. West Sussex, is regarded as an outstanding contemporary house in the area, built in Tudor style in 1980. The house, on the Willowhayne

private estate a mile from the coast, is on offer at £260,000 through King and Chasemore's East Preston office. It has a heated swimming pool and a detactied adjacent building with plumbing provision for a jacuzzi.



Horizons, a modern house built on columns of reinforced concrete at Sandbanks, Poole, Dorset, through Savilis - price: about £250,000

though what the house's Elizabethan forerunners would have made of that is another matter.

The house has mahogany joinery, leaded light windows, moulded cornices and gold plated bathroom fittings, a 33ft drawing room, dining room, morning room and four bedrooms. It is built in dark brick to half-height, with timbered upper part and a clay tile roof.

If that is one of the main modern house types, Winchfield Court Farm, at Odiham, Hampshire, is not. It is a single-storey house in 60 acres of pasture, with a heated swimming pool on the patio, which gives it an unmistakable resemblance to South Fork, home of the oil folk in the television series Dallas - a point not missed by Messenger May and Baverstock who are asking £475,000 plus. That is for the house, a secondary residence, farm buildings and 30 acres, with another 30 acres available if required. The ranch-style house was built

three years ago, features Purbeck stone in the reception rooms, and has four receptions rooms and two bedrooms suites. Winchfield Court Lodge, is also a single-storey residence, separated from the main house and screened by trees and containing

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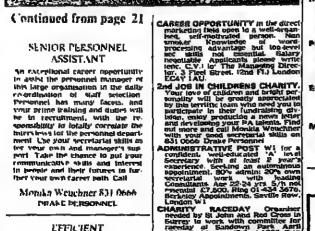
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That suggests that all is right with the world, and yet not one, but three reports from different public bodies in the last few days, show the other side of housing a deepening crisis, leading to possible disaster in the 1990s, nationally and especially in London, and continuing difficulties for tenants of local-authority homes built using the Bison Wall Frame system of construction

It was a considerable achievement for the National Federation of Housing Associations to persuade the Duke of Edinburgh, its patron, to chair an inquiry into housing, for at the very least it ensures a certain amount of publicity for its deliberations. The Association of Metropolitan Authorities has eagerly grasped the chance to put its views on housing to the committee, and they are depressing reading.

Making the comparison with improvements since the Royal Commission on housing for the working classes 100 years ago, the association fears that the improvements in public housing will be at risk if not lost unless the Government returns to a policy of large-scale investment soon.

The Government's policy, in line with people's aspirations, is to encourage home ownership. Now it stands at about 60 per cent, it is estimated that it could rise to 80 per cent. But at the other end of the housing stock, the association lists the difficulties: 1.2 million households on local authority waiting lists, 1.1

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public spending must increase. The third report is published jointly by Shelter, the national campaign for the homeless, and the National Association of Bison Tenants, which for some time have been trying to persuade local authorities and the Government to establish whether flats and houses built by the Bison system are safe.

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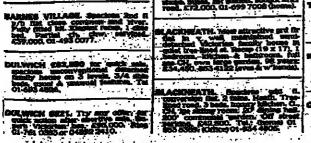
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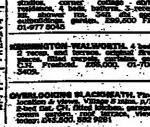
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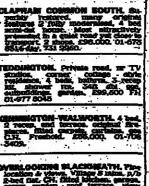
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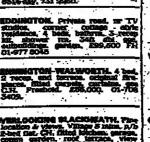
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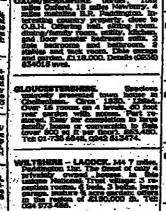


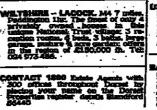


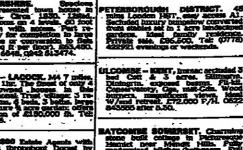


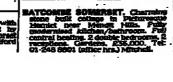












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viewers with television sets without the teletext facility. 6.30 Breakfast Time with Frank Bough and Selina Scott. News from Fern Britton at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 and 8.30 with headlines on the quarter hours; sport at 6.40 and 7.40; regional news, weather and traffic at 6.45 7.15, 7.45 and 8.15; programme choice at 6.55; a review of the morning newspapers at 7.18 and 8.18; Mike Smith with the new Top Twenty between 7.55 and 8.00; horoscopes at 8.33;

ante-natal advice between 8.30 and 9.00. 9.00 Gharbar. Magazine channer, magazine programme for Asian women. Today's edition includes a discussion on the causes of the increase in mental filness

among Asian women. 9.25 Trades Union Congress 1984. Vincent Hanna and Lord . Scarlon in Brighton for the third day's debates. 10.30 Play School, presented by Brian Jameson (r) 10.50 Prades Union Congress 1934. Further coverage of the morning's proceedings, 12.45 Ceefax.

1.00 News After Noon, with Richard Whitmore and Sandi Marshali. The weather details come from Michael Fish. 1.27 Regional news (London and SE only: Financial report followed by news headlines with subtities). 1.30 King Rollo. A See-Saw programme for the very young (r). 1.35 Bric-a-

Brac (r). 1.45 Writers' Houses, Bernard Levin at Ayot St Lawrence, the Hertfordshire village of Bernard Shaw (r).

2.00 Trades Union Congress 1984. Coverage of the afternoon session. 4.08 Regional news (not London).

4.10 Play School, presented by Sheelagh Gilbey, 4.30 Battle of the Planets. Animated science fiction series (Ceefax titles page 170) 4.55 Newsround with Howard Stableford, 5.00 Platypus Cove. The third and final part of the adventure story set in Australia, 5.25 The Good Life. Domestic comedy series set in suburbia (r). 5.58 Weather.

6.00 News 6.30 London Plus

6.55 Film: Och . . . You Are Awful (1972) starring Dick Emery.
Cornedy with Emery playing the part of Charlie Tully, the capital's cleverest confidence pickster. Immediately before flying off to Switzerland with his latest loot, Charlie finds it irresistible to dupe one more unsuspecting punter. Directed by Cliff Owen.

8.30 No Place Like Home. William Gaunt and Patricia Garwood as Arthur and Beryl, looking forward to a second honeymoon now that their children are off their hands. They are in for a shock when they return home (r). 9.00 News with John Humphrys.

9.25 The Black Adder, starring Rowan Atkinson. Part one of a six programme series about scheming young duke at the court of Richard III; in this first episode King Flichard (Peter Cook) is about to vacate his throne to make way for the, little known Richard IV (Brian Blessed) The Black Adder believes that the time is now rips for his attempt to rule

10.00 Film: The Serpent (1973) starring Yul Bryner, Henry Fonda and Dirk Bogarde. Brynner is Viessov, a colonel in the KGB, who defects to the West claiming that he has evidence of Russian penetration in every European intelligence agency, is he telling the truth or is he really a spy? Directed by Henri Verneuit. 12.00 News headlines and weather.

Tv-am 6.25 Good Morning Britain presented by Anne Diamond and Nick Owen. News with Gordon Honeycombe at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 and 9.00;

sport at 6.29 and 7.37; guests, John Hurt and Jim Davidson from 8.45; exercises at 6.46 and 9.20; the day's anniversaries at 6.51 consumer affairs at 7.14; Popeye cartoon at 7.22; Lloyd Cole pop video at 7.54; star romance at 8.15; Eve Pollard's gossip column at 8.34; gardening hints at 8.43 and 9.06.

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9.25 Themes news headlines followed by Sesame Street. 10.25 Dick Tracy Cartoons (r). 10.35 Film: Trouble with Eve* (1959) starring Robert Urquhart and Hy Hazell. Young widow, Louise Kingston shocks the residents of a sleepy riverside village when she decides to turn a room in her cottage into a tea-room. Directed by Francis Searle. 11.40 The Little Rascals* in Hook and

12.00 Rod, Jane and Freddy with a musical story, Snowland, 12,10 Our Backyard, What will Jean, Laura and Peter decide to call the new hutch Peter has built for Laura's rabbit? 12.30 The Sullivans.

1.00 News. 1.20 Thames news. 1.30 A Country Practice. Medical drama set in the Australian outback, 2.30 Farmhouse Kitchen. The first of a new series presented by Grace Mulligan. Today she and Joan Hammill prepare home made preserves.

3.00 Take the High Road. Drama series set on a Scottish highland estate. 3.25 Thame news headlines. 3.30 Sons and Daughters. More traumas in the Palmer and Hamilton households. 4.00 Rod, Jane and Freddy, A

repeat of the programme shown at noon, 4.15 The Moomins (r). 4.20 Scoty. With Matthew Corbett and quest. Geoff Capes (r). 4.40 Cartoon Time. Hyde and Hare featuring Time. Hyde and Hare reaming Bugs Buriny (r). 4.50 Hold Tight, Bob Carolgees meets the Coventry Westerners and Sue Robbie talks to Spandau Ballet's Tony Hadley, 5.15 Biockbusters. General provisions guizknowledge quiz.

5.45 News, 6.00 Thames news. 6.25 What It's Worth. Presented by Penny Junor. 6.35 Crossroads. J Henry Pollard is

sharp with Iris Scott when she enquires about his wife. 7.00 Where There's Life presented by Miriam Stoppard, Guest, Dr Glenn Wilson argues that marriage jests longer if the pariners are alike (Oracle titles

page 170). 7.30 Coronation Street, is Bill Webster worrying over nothing?

8.00 Benny Hill. Comic sketches larded with innuendo from the master of the double entendre. 8.30 Fresh Fields. The first of a comedies starting Julia McKenzle and Anton Rodgers as the comfortably off husband and wife who, tonight, return to the hotel where the husband proposed

for an anniversary celebrati (Oracle titles page 170). 9.00 Minder. A welcome return for a new series of the comedy dramas starring George Cole and Dennis Waterman. (Oracl and Dennis Waterman. (Oracle titles page 170) (see Choice). 10.00 News followed by Thames news headlines...

10.30 Crime inc. The final part of the documentary series on the Majia families' is entitled The Old Mob and the New. 11.30 Entertainment Express. 12.25 Night Thoughts from Mgr John Crowley.

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Sarah Walker in Gloriana

9.00 Caefax

BBC 2

4.10 Trades Union Congress 1984,

5.00 Reading: Resource

Cathedral 6.30 Herod and Judges 6.55 Baffled by Design

7.20 Computing: Simulation Models 7.45 Geophysics of the Red Sea. Ends at 8.10.

Development. An Open University production in which

pupils from Saints County School, Bletchley, demonstrate how young

people can edit, reference, store and retrieve material for

their own purposes (r). 5.25 News summary with subtitles.

Chempionships. Highlights of yesterday's play.

6.80 | Can Jump Puddles. An

Australian-made, nine-part, drama based on the

autobiographical novels of Alan Marshall who was

contracting pollo at the age of

Shy in which he tries to stop a

bigamous marriage and For Heaven's Sake (1926) in which he plays the part of a rich but ineffectively warren man (*)

documentary, written and presented by Anthony Burton,

beginning with how, in the 18th century, Britain's woollen industry was affected by the importing of cheep indian

Picture. John FitzMaurica Milis

examines the skills needed in-producing drawings in

charcoal sticks, pencils and

8.05 Timewatch presented by Peter

France. New evidence is unearthed by Christopher

hooliganism before the First World War, Sk Anthony

Parsons remembers the first oil crisis - in 1951; and there is

an item on the plight of the Roman Catholics in

Elizabethan England (see

Barber as the Dally Mirror's

former strip cartoon heroids.

David Allan, Highlights of the

Silk Cut Festival including performances from B. J.

Thomas and Moe Bandy. 9.48 Top Crown. The first semi-final of the invitation Crown Green

Bowling Tournament, Roy Armson and Noel Burrows

meet the holders, Ken Strutt and David Blackburn.

Championships. Highlights of the Women's singles

11.20 The 1984 US Open Tennis

12.00 Open University: Geometric Topology: Flows 12.25 Volunteering and Social Action, Ends at 12.55.

9,00 Jane in the Desert. Episode

three of the five-part

rdive starr

9:10 Sing Country introduced by

Andrew on football

zai young man (r).

crippled for life after

6.50 Harold Lloyd* Excerpts from two of the master cornection's films - the 1924 released Girl

7.15 The Rise and Fall of King

on the story of cotton

7.45 Collecting Now - Know Your

chalk.

Choice).

Cotton, A six-part

eleven (r).

5.30 The 1984 US Open Tennis

6.05 Open University: St Paul's

 GLORIANA (Channel 4, 9.15pm), Benjamin Britten's opera as staged by English National Opera, could almost have been written with television in mind. In this (but only in this) it is like Britten's *Turn of the* Screw. Plot and characters are strong enough to invite close nspection by the camera, and the vast dimensions of the London Collseum seem somehow to have been telescoped to create the Intimate feeling of a chamber opera. I do not mean by this that Derek Bailey's filming of Gioriana lacks spectacle (it does, in fact, offer much that dazzles the eye), only that the score is never overwhelmed by the costumes and draperies and overall elegance of Tudor pageantry. I cannot decide whether Sarah Walker (as Queen Elizabeth the First) is a better singer than she

CHANNEL 4

Gus MacDonald cover the third day's proceedings at

Brighton, during which the debates will concentrate on

Scott presents coverage of three races - the Culntin

Glibey Silver Trophy (1.00); the Gibey Champion Racehorse

young widowed mother working as a waitress in a Phoenix, Artzona, diner. Today she helps to fuel the fires of

colleagues, Flo, and Flo's first husband, 'Big Daddy' Dawson.

Mary arrives home to find her apartment has been burgled. One of the two police officers

who arrive to investigate the break-in finds Mary irrisistible

so the investigation is prolonged as much as possible. Two days later she is

History. Part 15 - Africa before the Europeans: 100-1500. The

African societies south of the Sahara were wealthy and

civilised and produced many fine works of art, such as the

bronzes of its and Benin, and

Bantu from their Cameroon

homeland superseded the

hunting people of the south and made agriculture and

pursuit of the rural peoples.

programme of his seven-part

Wilkle is joined by two British

internationals and the three of them demonstrate the secrets

of good starts and quick turns

7.00 Channel Four News includes

7.50 Comment from Mary Pepper

of the Christian Women's

Information and Resource

8.00 Brookside. Barry is again questioned by the police about his alibi but will not budge from

8.30 People to People: Struggles for Black Community. The fourth and finel film in the

series examining specific black communities struggle

on Laicester where there are

for dignity and rights foc

and West Indians.

his story: a downcast George

, report by Trevor MacDonald on the South African whites.

series on swimming, David

animal herding the main

6.30 Splash, in the sixth

the gradual spread of the

burgled again.

6.00 The World - A Television

Futurity (1.30); and the UKO Various Nursery Handicap

2.15 TUC '84. Further coverage.

5.00 Alice. Comedy series about a

love between one of her

5.30 The Mary Tyler Moore Show.

9.30 TUC '84. Liew Gardner and

the economy.

(2.00).

12.45 Racing from York, Brough

CHOICE that largely makes the question For a different view of Elizabethan England, totally unromantic and unmusical, let me recommend TIMEWATCH (BBC 2, 8.05pm), which includes an item about Elizabeth's repression of the

Catholics by using the treason laws, There is also an item about football hooliganism many decades ago from which an odiously smug sports writer on The Times does not

emerge with much credit.

• MINDER is back tonight (ITV, with all its distinctive qualities intact fine playing by George Cole and Dennis Watermar (in their world of minor or minality, dog doesn't eat dog; they merely the First) is a better singer than she snap playfully at each other's fixels); is an actress, it is, in any case, a role sharp comedy writing (by Andrew

Radio 4

Payne); and situations (tonight's tale involves illicit supplies of tobacco and training shoes) that, with only a pinch of salt, can cheerfully be swallowed. One more thing that might have escaped your notice is that Minder is uncommonly well

photographed.

BRIERS ON HANCOCK (Radio 4. 6.30pm) gives the wrong impression. Mr Briers is merely the link man; the script is by someone else, and so are most of the judgments for and against the worried comedian who took his own life. In the main, an affectionate

tribute, with Hancock's scriptwriters, Galston and Simpson, getting their full entitlement of credit classifying Hancock with G and S as a comedy glant, but without G and S as just a comedian

Peter Davalle

5.00 PM: News, 5.50 Shipping. 6.00 The Six O'Clock News. 6.30 Briers on Hancock, 'An Echo of Remembered Laughter (see Choice).

7.00 News.
7.00 The Archers.
7.00 The Archers.
7.20 Darling Girl . . . Your Ever, Birnb.
Second of two programmes in which Martin Jarvas reads
extracts from a solder's letters to

extracts from a solder's letters to his wife.

7.45 Foreign Correspondents.
Tonight: O. D. Gallagher of the Daily Express?

8.15 Antony Hopkins Talking About Music (new series).

8.45 A Yes is Really a Maybe by Patrice Chaplin. The many British people who go to Hollywood for a few months to try their luck.

9.30 A Talent to Amuse. A lighthearted look at the life and music of Noel Cowerd.

Kaleidoscope. Includes commer on the Irish season at the Royal Court. 10.15 A Book at Bedtone: "Wide

Programmes on long wave. I indicates stero on VHF.

6.09 News Brisfing; Weather.
6.10 Farming Today, 6.25 Shipping.
6.30 Today, including 6.39, 7.30, 8.30 News. 8.45 Prayer for the Day.
6.55, 7.55 Weather. 7.00, 8.00 News. 7.25, 8.25 Sport. 7.45 Thought for the Day.
8.43 Lady Addie Remembers abridged in eight parts by Donald Bancroft (3), Read by Margot Boyd.
9.00 News.
9.05 Midweek with Libby Purvas and studio guests including Cecil Parkinson MP.
10.00 News.
9.05 Midweek with Libby Purvas and studio guests including Cecil Parkinson MP.
10.00 News; Cardeners' Question Time, from Headingron, Oxford.
10.30 Morning Story: John Bull and All Thar by Michael A. Pearson.
Read by Timothy Kightley.
10.45 Daily Service: (NEM, page 102).
11.00 News; Travel: I Was Therei Max page 102).
11.48 God and I. Skr. part series in which former preacher Harry Soan traces his complex relationship with God (2).
12.00 News; You and Yours.
12.27 Death May Surprise Us dramatised in skr parts from the novel by Ted Willis (2). 12.55 Weather.
1.00 The World at One: News The 19.15 A Book at Bedtime: "Wide Sargasso Sea" by Jean Rinys (3). Read by Ian Holme and Jane Lepotaire, 10.29 Weather.
10.30 The World Tonight.
11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
11.30 Soundings, Religious documentary series, Bernard Jackson talks to some of the people who make economic policies and asks whether profit must come before people.
12.00 News. 12.10 Weather.
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Weather:
1.90 The World at One: News The
Archers. 1.55 Shipping forecas:
2.00 News; Woman's Hour, includes an interview with the new Head

Mistress of Roedsan, Arm R Longley, And John Westbrook starts his readings from Nigel Belchin's The Fell of the Sparrow Balchin's The Fall of the Sparrow.

3.00 Afternoon Theatre: Someone I Used to Know, by David Marshall. With Nigel Stock, Robert Gentster, Jennie Stoller. A lone traveller in South America is reluctant to accept an invitation to visit the Bridsh ex-patriate who lines with his wife on a desgript

estanciat

3.4S Time for Verse.
4.00 News; The Mysterious Death of Mabel Greenwood. Roger Worsley investigates the mysterious circumstances surrounding the death of Mabel Greenwood in 1919.
4.6 Start Time (Art of Myster) but

4.49 Story Time: 'Act of Mercy' by Francis Clifford (3). Read by Sean Barrett.

8.55 Weather. 7.00 News.
7.05 Your Midweek Choice: part one.
Mozart's Flute Concerto No 1 in
G, K 313 (Zoller is the soloist)
Gesualdo's Dolcissme mia vita:
George Mathews Suited (Mather Gesualdo's Dolcissims mia vita: Grieg's Holberg Suite t (Walter Klien, piang. 8.00 News. 8.05 Your Midweek Choice (com/h: Your Midweek Choice (contd): Gluck's Sinfonia in G; Lebrun's

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VHF (available in England & S Wales only). Radio 4 vfrf is as above, except: 6.25-6.30am Weather; Travel. 1.55-2.00pm Listening Comer. 5.50-5.55 PM (continued). 11.00 Study on 4: Enjoying Opera. 11.30-12.10am Open University: 11.30 Musio Interlude. 11.50 Education Bulletin.

Radio 3

7.30 Mozert's Symphony No 35 (Haffner). Conductor: Wil-tried Scettcher Peter Max-well Davies's into the Labyrinth. Conductor: The Labyrinth. Conductor: composer. 8.40 Mozart's Plano Concerto No

27 in B flat. Conductor: Wilfried Boettcher, Soloists: Aitred Brendel (piano) and Neil Mackie (tenor). BBC Chamber Orchestra. Radio

TONIGHT'S PROM

Obos Concerto No 4 in B flat (Heinz Holliger is the soloist); Shostakovich's Suite from Incidental music for the film Harnlett 9.00 News.

9.05 This Week's Composer: Vivaldi. Performances of in exitu Israel, RV 604: Violin Sonata in F minor, Op 2 No 10, RV 21, Amor hai vinto, RV 651, Cellot Sonata in B flat, RV 39: Concerto in B minor Op 3 No 10, RV 580; Lauda

Jerusalem, RV 6091 15.00 Faurit: Members of the Nash Ensemble play the Plano Trio In D

Ensamble play the Piano Trio in Diminor?

10.25 BBC Welsh SO: Weber's Passacaglia, Op 1; Schubert's (orch Webern) German Dances; Braitm's (orch Shoenberg) Plano Quartet in G minor, Op 25, 11.30 Schubert songs including Abendrothe; Der Fluss; Der Wanderer (Schlegel), Performed by Ann Murray (mezzo) and Antony Saunders (piano)?

12.10 Orchestra of the National Centre for Orchestra of the National Centre for Orchestra I Studies: Topett's Symphony No 4' Sibelius's Pohjota's Daughtert 1.00 News.

1.05 Charles Mingus: records by the great jazz muscian.

1.30 Music by British Composers: BBC Concert Orchestra. Walton's Johannesburg Festival Overture; Toye's The Haunted Baliroom; Bryan Kelly's Italian Suite: Butterworth's Rhapsody: A Stropshire Lad; Wilkred Joseph's Monkohester Dancest

2.30 Aiberni String Quartet; Beethoven's Quartet in C sharp minor, Op 1311

3.16 Erich Welfragen Kornvolkit the

Beemoven's Cutarret in C shar minor. Op 1311 3.10 Erich Wolfgang Korngold: the overture Volanta; and Plano Concarto Op 17 for left hand (Steven De Groote, soloist)! 4.90 Choral Evensong: from St George's Church, Hanover' Square, London – livet 4.55 News.

News. 5.00 Mainly for Pleasure: another of Graham Fawcett's selections of music.
6.30 Mischa Elman: Records by the Russian violanist, including a movement from the Tcharkovsky

concerto.
7.00 The Four Nations: Harpsichord recitel by John Toff. Louis Couperin's Suite in C minor: Gibbons's Fantasia in D minor; Frescobaidi's Toccata decima: and Froberger's Toccata No 2 in D minort
7.30 Proma 84: (see panel)t
8.20 Six Continents, Monitored foreign

8.20 Six Considents, Monitored to reign radio broadcasts.
 8.40 Proms 84: (see panel).
 9.25 The Troubled Dream: The second talk in Professor A H Halsey's series about welfare states. Prof Halsey is Director of Social and Administrative Studies at Oxford University. (fr.)

University (r). 10.10 La Vida Breve: Manuel de Falla's two-act opera, sung in Spanish.

Lus Garcis-Navarro conducts the National Orchestra of Francet 11.15 News. Until 11.18. VHF only - OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.35-6.55em Open Forum. 11.20 pm-12.00 Social Sciences: Grapevine.

Radio 2

New on the hour (except 9.00pm). Headfines 5.30am, 7.30 and 8.30 Headines s. soam, 7.3u and 8.30 (medium wave), 1 indicates also VHF stereo. 4.00am Martin Kehert 5.30 Bill Rennetst 7.30 Terry Wogan, including 8.31 Racingt 10.00 Paul Hehreyt 12.00pm Steve Jones, including 1.05, 2.02 Sports Deskt 2.05 Glora Heading Inshiring 3.02 Sports Deskt Hentiford Inshiring 3.02 Sports Deskt 2.02 Sports Deskt 2.05 Glona
Humitord, Induding 3.02 Sports Deskt
3.30 Music All The Way, including 4.02
Sports Desk, 4.05 David Hamilton,
Including 5.05, 6.02 Sports Deskt 6.05
Ken Bruce, including 6.45 Sport and
Classified Results (mf only) 7.30 Crickett
8.00 The Doomed Oasis, An Arabian
adventure adapted in skr parts (3)† 8.30
BBC Radio Orchestra with Bill Rannetist
9.15 Listen to the Band, Charlie Chester
introduces the best of brass and military ntroduces the best of brass and military introduces the best of brass and military music. 9.55 Sports Deskir 10.00 The Golden Years with Alan Keth. 10.30 Hubert Gregg says Thanks for the Memory. 11.00 Brian Matthew presents Midnight including 11.02, 12.05 Sports. Desk (stereo from midnight). 1.00am Charles Nove presents Nightridet 3.00 Broadway Bebes 1 Ethel Memant 3.30-4.00 David Francis and Gordon Langford. Their two piano and orchestrat

Radio 1

News on the half hour from 6.30am until 9.30pm and at 12 midnight (medium wave). 1 indicates also VHF steroo. 6.00am Adnan John. 7.00 Mike Read. 9.00 Simon Bates, 11.30 Gary Davies including 12.30 Newsbeat. 2.00 Steve Wright, 4.30 Peter Powell, including 5.30 Newsbeat. 7.00 James Long. 10.00-12.00am John Peetr VHF Radios 1 & 2, 4.00am With Radio 2, 10.00pm With Radio 1, 12.00-4.00am With Radio 2

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10.25 nm Eastern
Tales. 10.40 James Milchener 11.3012.00 Home. 12.30 pm-1.00 Electric
Theatre Show. 1.20 News. 1.30
Protectors. 2.00-2.30 That's My Dog.
6.00-6.35 News. 11.55 Cornedy Tonight.
12.30 nm Closedown.

BBC 1 Wales headlines. 4.08-4.10
News of Wales headlines. 4.08-4.10
News of Wales headlines. 5.25 Carboon.
5.35-5.58 Wales today. 5.30-6.56 Roll
Harris Carbon Time: Schookdays.
12.00-12.15am News and weather.
Scotland. 125pm-1.30 The Scotlish
News. 5.36-6.55 Reporting Scotland.
12.00-12.05am News and weather.
Northern Instand. 1.27pm-1.30 Northern
Ireland News. 4.08-4.10 Northern
Ireland News. 5.25-5.58 Channel One.

8.30-6.55 Inside Ulster. 12.00-12.05ee Nows and weather. England. 8.30pm-8.55 Regional news magazznes.

bumps into Tommy McArdie; and the Jackson twins start at their new school. SCOTTISH As London except
10.25em indian
Legands. 11.35-12.00 Educational film.
12.30pm-1.00 Electric Theatre Show.
1.20 News. 1.30-2.30 James Mason.
3:00 Virtage qutz. 3.30-4.00
Blockbusters. 5.10 Action Line. 5.26-6.45 Crossroads. 6.00 Scotland today.
6.30 Hear Here. 6.45-7.00 Crime Desk.
11.30 Late Cell. 11.35 Portrait of a
Legand (Kris Kristofferson). 12.05
Closedown. concentrations of both Asians

9.15 Gloriana. The English National Opera's production of GRANADA As London except: 9.25sm Wattoo Wattoo 9.30 Wild World of Animals. 9.55 Star Fleet. 19.15 World We Live In. 19.40 Home. 11.05-12.00 Junior Gymnast of the Year. 1.20pm-1.30 Gravada Reports. 6.00 This is Your Right. 6.05 Conservada. 8.30-7.00 Gravada Benjamin Britten's dramatic opers, recorded at the London Collseum shortly before the Company's recent tour of the ites (see Choice). Crossroads, 8.30-7.00 Granada Reports, 11.30 Film: The Plank (Torniny Cooper), 12.25am Closedown. 12.10 The Tudor Face. The miniatures of Nicholas Hillard.

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS S4C Starts: 9.30am TUC. 12.45pm
Racing from York, 2.15
Ffatabalam. 2.30 TUC. 4.55 Garan —
Gwarchodwr y Gofod. 5.35 Start Here.
6.00 Brokside. 6.30 Love, Sthrey. 7.00
Newyddion Saith. 7.30 Trof'r Dail. 8.00
Resio. 8.40 Y Byd Ar Bedwar. 9.10 Film:
Ghost Dancing [Dorothy McGure). 10.50
People to People. 11.35 Play at Home.
12.35am Closedown.

TVS As London except: 10.25am
Flying Kiwi, 10.55 Sport Bay.
11.20 Nature of Things, 11.50-12.00
Cartoon, 1.20pm News, 1.30 That's My
Dog, 2.00-2.30 Benson, 3.09 Just our
Luck, 3.30-4.00 Take the High Fload.
5.15 Blockbusters, 6.00-6.35 Coast to
Coast, 11.30 Star Parade, 12.30am
Company, Closedown.

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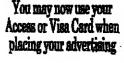
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Harare frees former premier

From Jan Raath Harare

Abel Muzorewa. Bishop former Prime Minister of Zimbabwe Rhodesia and leader of the United African National Council, was released from detention vesterday.

Mr Moven Mahachi, Acting

Minister of Home Affairs, told a press conference that the Government had decided to follow the recommendations of the detention review tribunal to

There were no conditions attached to his release, but if the bishop engaged in "subversive" activities, or "continues to make subversive statements, be will be re-detained". His passport had been returned and he was a free man. Mr Mahachi

The bishop was arrested 10 months and five days ago at his farm on the outskirts of Harare. He was not charged, but the Government alleged he had been conspiring with South Africa and Israel against Zimbabwe.

Yesterday he was driven home by officials of the Ministry of Home Affairs. He was met by his son, Philemon. His wife was away

Workers and children, some wearing UANC T-shirts, cheered, danced and sang.
In an interview with The

Times, the bishop said: "I feel good, and happy." His treatment by the Central Intelligence Organization had been "good, courteous and kind", but he could not say the same for Mr Emmerson Munangagwa, Min-ister of State for Security, who, he said, had not allowed him a balanced diet, a radio or newspaper.

The bishop's party holds three seats in the 100-seat House of Assembly. His support was effectively crushed by the Zanu party of Mr Robert Mugabe, the Prime Minister.

Bishop Muzorewa said that on Monday night, for the first time during his detention, he had slept uneasily. Yesterday he had been reading the American evangelist. Oral Roberts, and had just completed a passage on miracles, when "four big guys" arrived with a release order.

"The miracle came to me." The Government also released 20 men alleged to have been involved in an attack on the house of Mr Mugabe in June 1982. Some had been in custody for two years.



strategy are going ahead. Yesterday's tragi-comedy was

played out on the fringes of the

From early morning until late

During the afternoon, the

coal board issued a statement

by Mr James Cowan, its deputy

chairman, putting its case about

the failure of the Maxwell

It said: "The board state unequivocally that they have not cancelled talks with the

NUM. They remain ready at

any time to have meaningful

talks to resolve this damaging

discussions between Mr Peter

Heathfield on behalf of the NUM, and Mr Ned Smith on behalf of the NCB, it was

mutually agreed that as the

NUM were not prepared to

discuss closures on other

exhaustion or safety grounds, in

these circumstances a further

meeting would be neither meaningful nor purposeful."

On Monday, in further

last night, speculation rose and

fell about the prospects of further peace talks "reliably"

Trades Union Congress,

Royal highness: Princess Michael of Kent on top of Gatwick airport's £6m control tower which she opened yesterday (Photograph: Harry Kerr). Right:
Princess Alexandra with Vice-Admiral Sir Gerard Mansfield after naming The Walter Raleigh, a youth expedition ship, in Hull.

Coal peace process verges on collapse together to implement the TUC

Continued from page 1

When the Maxwell initiative ran into the sands, other third parties stepped in to fill the breach, including, it is under-stood, Mr Stan Orme, the Opposition energy spokesman. Their efforts may have prevented the peace process from collapsing completely, but the reported to have been aban-chances of an early settlement doned and reinstated three are now regarded as virtually

Instead, strike leaders are turning their attention to an intensification of the dispute by spreading it to the power supply and steel industries in line with TUC policy approved two days

Officials of the largest union in the generating stations - the General and Boilermakers' -met last night to discuss how to give practical effect to the proposal to block the movement of coal and coke and to black the use of oil as a substitute fuel.

Mr Scargill claimed that men at six power stations had already indicated that they were willing not to touch coal or oil in Yorkshire, Wales and Lanca-shire; and despite the strong opposition from electricians and managers in the industry, moves to bring all the unions

Hardliners lose after vote error

Continued from page 1

rangements spelled out by Mi Ray Buckton, TUC president. The appeal was upheld by the general purposes committee in the rerun of the vote, the amendment from the Amalga-mated Union of Engineering Workers, which softened the left-wing motion, secured a 642,000 majority, compared with an earlier defeat by 1,236,000 votes.

The left's drive for a policy of carte blanche support for unions penalized under the laws was led by the National Graphical Association, whose plans for an unlawful 24-hour national strike in the Shah dispute was refused backing by the TUC general council last winter. Oppostion was led by Mr Roy Grantham, general secretary of the Association of Professional, Executive, Clerical and Computer Staffs, who said the general council ought to

"stand up to the Government in cases where we can win".

Mr Murray restated the general council view, based on the conference at Wembiey in 1982, that each case should be treated on its merits. A strongly-worded motion criticizing Mr Murray was heavily defeated.

Wales and West: A38: Lane closure

Wales and West: A38: Lane closures on both carriageways between Exeter and Plymouth at Marsh Mills viaduct. A390: Roadworks in Pound Street, Liskeard. A420: Chippenham to Wooton Road, temporary traffic lights at Lyncham Banks, Wiltsbire. Scotland: A7: Road reconstruction four miles south of Sellork, single line traffic with lights. A1: By-pass construction west of Tranent, traffic

construction west of Tranent, traffic lights in use for movement of heavy

Births: Johana Christian Bach, youngest son of Johann Sebastian Bach, Leipzig, 1735; Louis XIV, king of France, the Sun King, 1643-1715; Saint-Germain-en-Laye, 1638;

1/15; Sant-Germain-en-Laye, 16-38; Glacomo Meyerbeer, composer, Tasdorf, Germany, 1791; Victoriea Sardon, playwright, Paris, 1831. Deaths: John Home, dramatist, Edinburgh, 1808; Auguste Counte, philosopher, founder of Positivism, Paris, 1857; Charles Pégny, poet, Valleroy, France, 1914.

vehicles are required.

Anniversaries

The pound

'Tiny few' attacked for picket violence

no new factories coming in. There are no great civic projects. All the options of the 1960s and 1970s have been

wiped out by the policies of this Government." That was the defensive case for sustaining pits with workable reserve, but there was a very positive case too, Mr Kinnock added. "Coal is not just the fuel of today, It is the fuel and the industrial feedstock

of the future."
As the nation looked forward to the prospects of energy shortage and the hazards of nuclear energy generation, or the risks of depending on supplies of fuel from notoriously unstable parts of the world, it must make sense, it must be productive — "it is, dare I use the world, beneficial for us to fully exploit the coal that can be safely worked in this country wherever the pits are."

That is what the definition of beneficial should be, Mr Kinnock said, in a clear reference to the National Coal Board's insistence that pits should be closed down unless they had coal reserves that could be beneficially worked.

The TUC, the miners' union and the Labour Party would put

that case until it was won, but it must be put without violence he argued. Our asset is reason Our strength is the rationality of the case for coal. Violence distracts attention from the central issues of the dispute. It obscures the justice and validity of the miners' case."

The Labour leader said that violence had given the Govern-ment a bone of excuses to gnaw on. "It has enabled them to evade their responsibility for promoting settlement of the dispute. It has procided them with the long-sought-after op-portunity to introduce politi-cally motivated change in the methods of British policing. into a period of conflict between the police and the public that people thought history had buried years ago.

"Violence disgusts union opinion and it divides trade union attitudes. It creates a climate of brutality It is alien to the temperament and the intelligence of the British trade union movement.

Mr Kinnock's first appear rance at the TUC was warmly received, though there were few interruptions when condemned violence on the

NOON TODAY

Letter from San Salvador

The day the gringos came to town

of them babies, in the group was slowly gathering, countryside of Cabañas, one of El Salvador's northern proving stretching out a hand.

Photographs showed head-Army, members of an elite battalion specially trained in the United States.

President Duarte, who says

latest Army killing ground, knew perfectly well that the massacre had taken place. much as they knew, example, that until morning no vehicle had entered their town in the past

Much more interesting than any massacre, or the Air Force bombardment just down the road the afternoon before - as in all afternoons before - or the helicopter that, a little earlier in the morning, had been hammering machine-gun bullets into the surrounding hillsides . . . much more interesting for a people anaesthe-tized to war was the appearance in the empty plaza of two strangers, two "gringos" in a small bright red car.

Children aged four or five years, some of them naked, ran out to look, their bellies swollen, alive with parasites. There is no school in Jutiapa, no teachers, probably no one who can read or write. The guerrilla graffiti on the bullet-holed walls ("Join the revol-utionary ranks!") seems particularly redundant, especially given the absence in town of any men or women of fighting

Juniapa s roads are overgrown with grass. So are some of the houses, those with holes home". in the roofs where mortars have fallen. There are no

occupants of the red car, their remained intact. parents - half a dozen in all, looking like survivors of a

The archbishop's office in nuclear disaster - edged their the capital said soldiers had way towards the shaded massacred 68 civilians, several corner of the plaze where a

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some wiping it first. All seemed numbed their eyes less bodies and tiny vulture- glazed over, something you get gnawed limbs. The soldiers used to in the no-man's land apparently belonged to the towns of El Salvador, where cream of the Salvadorean there are no authorities, where the guerrilias steal in one day, the Army marches in the next, and hopelessness is the only

constant. he wants to clean up El Federico, a gaunt man of Salvador, was taken aback at 46, has lived, or rather the church report. The Ameri-survived, in Jutiapa all his life. can embassy preferred no to He is one of the 200 or so who believe it.

But the few remaining inhabitants of Jutiapa, the twon in Cabanas nearest this reans who have sought refuge in the United States.

He has had II children. Two died shortly after birth. Of the nine left, three have been paralysed from the waist Both sides have not lots of

"Both sides have got lots of guns, and ueither side is losing. They're never going to sit and talk peace," Federico says, stating for him, the obvious. "Who knows though?" he adds, on a reflex. "God is powerful".

Don Leandro does have shoes. He also has a horse, which in Jutiapa is like owning a Rolls-Royce, only better - given the roads. He owns a little land outside town and had been friendly with the local police until the guerrillas drove them out a year ago.

The guerrillas took Don Leandro away for 22 days. They tried him as a collaborator, declared him innocent and let him go

It was bot, even in the shade, as the people told their stories. A woman brought some oranges for the "visi-tors" who, she said, must be getting thirsty Some oranges she had already cut up, ready to eat. A few more, unpeeled, she had brought "for the ride

At the offer of money she have fallen. There are no shops, no street vendors, no dogs even. The church, at one end of the plaza, has defied the assaults of both guerrilla and Army guns upon its white walls.

The children's advance of the root money she backed off, shaking her heads she would take offence. In common with the asscomprehending majority of her country's five million staffer not cherked her generates The children's advance not checked her generous party baving established that instincts. Her life was squalid there was no danger from the and precarious, but her dignity

John Carlin

THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,527

ACROSS

- 1 Meaning of an idiotic tale pointless nonsense (7).

 5 Confused talk about 1 ac, 1 see,
- so to speak (7). 9 Liberal 5 ac one out in public
- 10 Deadly sin of a
- 11 Hyperion for instance is seen to
- 12 Perhaps a bird in the bush is his handiwork (9). 14 Once a most disputatious
- mathematician (6,8). 17 No more outbursts of loud and violent abuse initially from him
- 21 Tricky question, admitting sister
- to company party once (9).

 23 In defence Lloyd George proclaims his allegiance (5).

 24 First king in charge of frogs?
- Good reasoning (5). 25 8 sounds a far from knock-kneed bird (9). 26 Like Maud at sixteen, or her
- home no doubt? (7). 27 Odysseus made Polyphemus so like Oedipus at last (7).

- I Vineyard owner has Jack brought in not hard (6). Sciller's nominee corrupting agent in the first place of course (7).
- 3 A good one helps to make way to the everlasting bonfire (9).

Grub Street type (5-6).

court proceedings (7). Being subservient to another (8).

15 Fruit in tree can vary (9). 16 He's received sordid g coming up with Cerberus (8).

(II)

Act of necessity including man

18 Greek figure's contribution to an

clegant anagram (7).

19 Offensive racket is out of order

29 One article fills, thus oddly, the gap (6).

22 Setting for pearl from the northern area (5).

New books - hardback

The Literary Editor's selection of interesting books published this week: Austin and Mabel, The Amherst Affair and Love Letters of Austin Dickinson and

Roads

Aristotle on Consedy, by Richard Janko (Duckworth, 224)
How to be a Guns, by George Milice (Andre Deutsch, £6.50)
More of My Life, by A J Ayer (Collins, £12.95)
On the Shores of the Mediterrances, by Eric Newby (Harvil, £9.95)
Presidential Campaigns, by Paul F Boller Jr (Oxtord, £15)
The British Cavalry, by Philip Warner (Dent, £12.95)
The Force of Poetry, by Christopher Ricks (Oxford, £19.50)
The Private World of Georgette Heyer, by Jane Altken Hodge (The Bodley Head, £10.95)

Wauch in Abysakia, by Evelyn Waugh (Methuen, £9.50)

Today's events

New exhibitions

New exhibitions

New work by Margaret Jackson,
Ginnel Gallery, 16 Lloyd Street,
Manchester, Mon to Fri 9 to 5.30,
Thur till 8, (ends Sept 28).
Paintings by Kit Williams, Royal
Albert Memorial Museum and Art
Gallery, Queen St. Exeter, Tues to
Sat 10 to 5.30, (ends Sept 29).

Exhibitions in progress
Sixty drawings by Linda Kitson,
Falklands Task Force official war
artist, Portsmouth City Museum,
Museum Rd, Old Portsmouth,
(until Sept 30).
The Welsh Collector, Turner
House, Plymouth Rd, Penarth,
(until Sept 30).
James McBey, war artist, Aberdeep Art Gallery, Schoolhill, (until
Oct 30).

4 Not that M R James was such a 5 So many return to the island (3). Beginning as a Xanadu runner, first of all (5). Unimportant if against one in

Creation: Modern art and nature,

Creation: Modern art and nature, Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art. Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh; Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2 to 5. (ends Oct 14).

Work by Henry Lamb, Museum and Art Gallery, Chamberlain Sq. Birmingham; Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2 to 5. (ends Sept 16). Masic

Piano recital by Michael Ward, St Prano recital by Michael Ward, St John's, Chester, I.
Organ recital by Gavin Brown, St Peter's, York Place, Brighton, 8.
Recital by Abagail Young (violin) and David Watson (piano), Mackerston Hotel, Largs, Strath clyde, 7.45.
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Church of the Holy Trimity, Mostyn
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Organ recital by Roger Carter,
Southwold Parish Church, 8.15.
Recital by Karoly Botvay (cello)
and Piers Lane (piano), the Church
of St Cyriac and Julitta, Swaffham
Prior, Cambs, 7.45.

Sale of British and Continental paintings, watercolours, drawings, miniatures and prints, Bearnes, Ranbow, Torquay, Devon, 10. Open Day at Bournemouth Transport Museum, Mailard Road Depot Bournemouth, 10.30 to 4.30.

Weather

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6am to midnight

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